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THE WEATHER
LOUISIANA AND MISSISSIPPI: Cloudy, local rains in the interior tonight; Tuesday cloudy, local rains. Light to moderate southerly winds on the coast.
ARKANSAS: Cloudy, probably rain tonight and Tuesday.

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KING FILES EXCEPTIONS IN OUSTER SUIT

Powers Protest Against Use of Settlement as Jap Base

TWO NATIONS JOIN AGAINST NIPPON MOVE

Misuse of Shanghai Area Is Called to Japan's Attention

U. S. TAKES THE LEAD

Repeated Complaints Have Been Made By Four Countries

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—(AP)—The United States and Great Britain have again protested against Japan's use of the international settlement in Shanghai as a military base for attacking the Chinese outside the settlement.

A message received today by the state department from Consul General Edwin S. Cunningham at Shanghai said he had protested to the Japanese consul general against the landing of Japanese troops in large numbers on docks in Hongkew, the section of the international settlement which is policed by the Japanese.

Similar action was taken by the British consul general.

Cunningham's move was made under his instructions to act on individual instances which violate the neutrality of the international settlement.

The landing of a limited number of Japanese forces in the Shanghai international settlement for the protection of foreigners living there would not be the basis for any objections on the part of foreign powers interested in the settlement. But the landing of forces by the thousands to be used in fighting the Chinese outside the international settlement is considered quite another matter.

The consular officers of Great Britain, France, Italy and the United States have repeatedly called to the attention of the Japanese consul general what they regard as misuse of the international settlement as a military base for outside operations.

Consul General Cunningham, on instructions from the state department cooperated with the League of Nations commission which investigated conditions at Shanghai and reported

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Canadian Mounted Police Close In On Mad Trapper

EDMOND, Alta., Feb. 15.—(AP)—Through the frigid hills of northern Yukon, Albert Johnson, eccentric trapper, is still racing a few jumps ahead of police pursuers. Wanted for the killing of one police constable and the wounding of another, the wild man's days of liberty are rapidly drawing to a close, police officials believe.

While more than a score of constables of the Royal Canadian Mounted police, trappers and Indians are on Johnson's trail, an advance guard of two crack mushers is close on his heels. Supplies for the pursuers are being taken from Aklavik by air by Pilot W. R. "Wop" May, noted northland flier.

Last reports from the chase brought out by the flier was that Johnson had crossed the border from the northwest territories into the Yukon territory.

Jes' Ramblin'

ABOUT THE TOWN

By H. H. B.

R. W. Germany reports the case of one Monroe woman who has been happy through efforts of Rep. Riley J. Wilson and himself. The name? Well it really doesn't matter and is better perhaps left unknown but the case was one of extreme need and one of worthiness. The lady was in her late fifties, widowed and with absolutely no income since the death of her husband, a Spanish War veteran. Efforts had been exerted to obtain a pension back in 1929 but somehow it failed. As time went on, things got worse for the widow. At the present time she has been cooking, eating and sleeping in a single little room. Friends brought attention to this case to Mr. Germany who in turn solicited the kindly offices of Representative Wilson. The result was that last week the aged widow received a check for $940 and the assurance that for the rest of her lifetime she will receive $30 monthly. That's why she is so happy.

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The names of L. J. Hulin and Bill Perhamus, day and night clerks at Hotel Virginia, have been removed from the counter where they were formerly displayed. J. L. Keenan states that they were too hard to be pronounced by the average guest. * * * An unsung hero of the recent floods was brought to light today when the story became gengenerally known. The man, his name does not matter, but he came from the country to aid in the fight that Monroe and West Monroe were waging against the inroads of the Ouachita River. He worked gallantly and well during those days when the rain was falling in torrents and with chilling wind. Pneumonia claimed the man as victim and he died about a week later in a local hospital. Not a dollar was forthcoming to buy even a decent shroud for this man who gave his life in an unselfish and worthy cause. At last a fireman, Capt. A. F. Johnson, of Station 2, hearing of the case, saw that a suit of clothes was provided. Other arrangements were made for a modest interment which took place Saturday with no flowers, no mourners aside from a little group from the undertaking establishment. Silently and with lumps in their throats, the several men wended their way from where a new-made mound was to arise.

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Mrs. Jewel McQuiller, parish home demonstration agent, declares she's not a bit scared by the flood but just the same the furniture is "roosting high" in her residence on South Grand. She admits that "scaffolding in time may save the family furniture." * * * Another resident of the south side, possessed of a valuable cow, had a runway and select quarters provided on the back porch where the bovine can be sheltered above the flood water level in case the said floods come.

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A Monroe school teacher who had much trouble correcting the grammar of a pupil who insisted on affirming: "I have went, etc.," commanded the small boy to write 100 times on the blackboard correctly, "I HAVE GONE HOME." The teacher, tiring of the day's grind, left for the day with the injunction to finish the job ere he left. A half hour later the pupil, Tommy Jones, afflicted with ennui from the task, "knocked off work," ending his struggles with the following note: "Teacher, I have got tired and have went home, Tommy Jones."

DEFINED RIFT AMONG PARTY CHIEFS SEEN

Roosevelt Supporters Work Hard to Pledge All Delegates

HARMONY IS ON WANE

Shouse Advocates Delegations Come to Meet Uninstructed

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—(AP)—A clearcut rift now exists between important elements of the Democratic party, and the prospect for harmony in the year of presidential election has faded to a shadow.

Definite statements of opposing positions over the instruction of delegates now stand between Franklin D. Roosevelt and his supporters on the one hand, and that section of the party leadership which agrees with the views of Jouett Shouse, director of the Democratic National Headquarters under Chairman John J. Raskob.

Shouse has advocated that delegates not be instructed, but be left free to choose their candidate in the light of conditions at the moment the convention is held and the ballots are cast. Governor Roosevelt saw in the plan disfranchisement of the party's rank and file with the decision thrown to the dickering of powerful leaders, nothing more than a back-room nomination.

Shouse and Raskob disclaim any intention to stop Roosevelt or any other candidate with the non-instruction plan, but Roosevelt's candidacy, now rolling up a mountain total of votes all over the country, is the one most threatened before convention time, having most to lose. Yet the New York governor has not questioned the sincerity of the Shouse-Raskob disclaimer.

His supporters, however, are working intensively to roll up the king of snowball that will travel for its own momentum. They are striving for that wholesale dash for a ride on the bandwagon which well defined prospects of success can and do bring. The immediate aim is to bring into a militant, well-coordinated campaign the somewhat scattering spontaneous local movements in his behalf.

Half a dozen other candidates are dividing the play on the other side of the fence, either working for instructed delegates, or seeking the support of states previously claimed in Roosevelt's column. Alfred E. Smith, although he declared himself no candidate, is the conspicuous figure in the field, with slates of delegates favoring him entered in the primary races of several states.

W. K. HENDERSON IS TO SUPPORT 'ALFALFA BILL'

Radio Station Owner Makes Known His Decision After Meet

SHREVEPORT, La., Feb. 15.—(AP)—W. K. Henderson, owner of radio station KWKH, mentioned as a probable nominee for president on the farmer-labor ticket, will back Governor W. H. Murray, of Oklahoma for the Democratic nomination.

Henderson announced today he would support Murray following a conference Sunday night with Ed. Semans and Baxter Taylor, friends of Murray, who stopped overnight here en route to Atlanta to confer with Georgia delegates relative to Murray's candidacy.

"I am going to back Bill Murray," Henderson said, "for I think he's got more sense than any of the rest of them. We don't want anybody from the east as a candidate for president on the Democratic ticket."

Henderson denied emphatically he personally would consider accepting the nomination of the farmer-labor party.

FISKE WINS

OLYMPIC BOB RUN, MT. VAN HOEVENBERG, LAKE PLACID, N. Y., Feb. 15.—(AP)—Billy Fiske, American living abroad, successfully defended the four-man Olympic bob sled championship today by beating off the final drive of Harry Homburger and his world record-holding team in the last two heats of the delayed title event.

GUN DUEL HELD NEAR MANGHAM AT DAYBREAK

Men "Shoot Out" Differences As In Days of Yore

DEWEY BURGESS HURT

Brought to Monroe Hospital; Likely to Recover; Card Game Blamed

A shotgun duel by appointment at dawn today on the main street at Mangham, in Richland Parish, resulted in serious wounding of Dewey Burgess, 34, of Mangham.

Burgess was wounded by G. L. "Sandy" Luticker, about 45 years of age, manager of the Louisville Cooperage Company's stave mill at Snake Ridge, near Mangham.

Disagreement arising between principals of the duel during a card game last night at a house near Mangham, was given as the cause of the shooting.

Meeting downtown on opposite street corners at 6 o'clock this morning, the principals aimed and fired at each other in the same moment. Neither discharge struck its human target. Luticker's second discharge struck its target, but Burgess' gun snapped and failed to discharge a second time. His gun was a .12 guage pump gun, while Luticker's was a .12 guage automatic.

Burgess was wounded in the left side of his chest and in his left arm. He was brought here in an ambulance and is a patient at a local clinic. Burgess will probably recover, it was stated.

After the shooting happened, Luticker called a doctor to treat Burgess until arrival of an ambulance. Luticker remained at Mangham and surrendered to Deputy Sheriff Oliver Boughton. The deputy carried Burgess to Rayville, where he was questioned by the Rayville Parish sheriff's department and other authorities. Luticker was then released, pending possibility of charges being filed against him and the possibility that Burgess' wounds may prove fatal.

RUN-OFF PRIMARY TO BE CONDUCTED ON FEBRUARY 23

Little Interest Shown In Four Contests Slated Week Distant

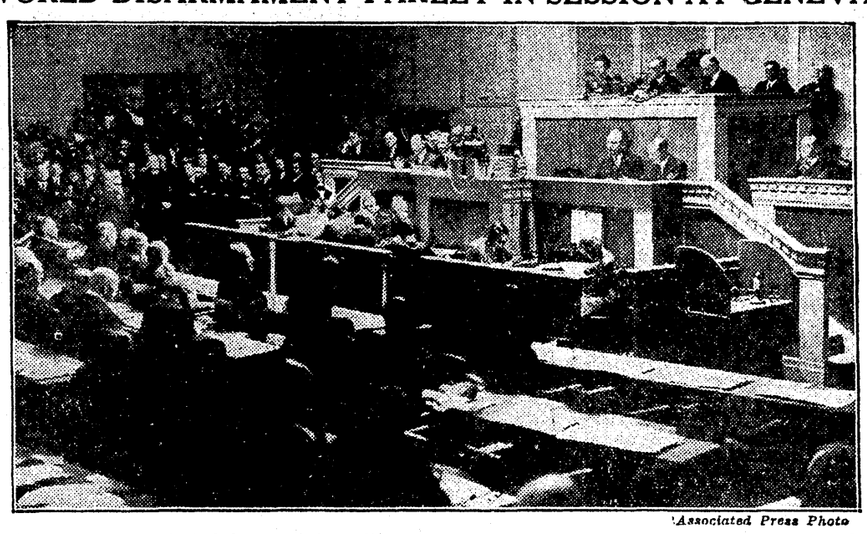
Although the run-off primary for the Democratic party in Ouachita Parish will be held only one week from tomorrow, recent concern over the flood apparently has crowded out interest in the election. The result has been that candidates have not waged the lively campaigns that had been expected for the run-off.

Only four races are at issue in the run-off and only one of these is parish wide. In the one parish race Dr. C. P. Gray, incumbent, and Dr. C. L. Mengis are candidates for coroner. For police juror of Ward Five, the candidates are Capt. H. M. Williams, incumbent, and Alfred Jenkins. Those seeking the city marshal's office in Monroe are John Brothers, incumbent, and B. L. Risher, while those seeking this office in West Monroe are J. L. Haynes and R. L. Kilgore.

RIVER STAGES

Stations:	Stage	Flood Stage	Present	24-Hour Change
MISSISSIPPI—				
St. Louis	30		9.9	0.6 Rise
Memphis	35		37.9	0.2 Rise
Helena	44		47.9	0.3 Rise
Arkansas City	48		50.9	0.1 Rise
Vicksburg	45		49.6	0.2 Rise
Natchez	46		49.9	0.1 Rise
BLACK—				
Jonesville	50		54.3	0.0
CUMBERLAND—				
Nashville	40		25.3	4.0 Fall
OHIO—				
Pittsburgh	22		14.0	0.7 Fall
Cincinnati	52		29.0	0.2 Rise
Cairo	45		49.1	0.1 Rise
TENNESSEE—				
Chattanooga	33		22.2	0.5 Rise
ARKANSAS—				
Fort Smith	22		10.0	3.2 Rise
Little Rock	23		6.1	1.5 Rise
RED—				
Shreveport	39		18.5	0.7 Fall
Alexandria	36		38.2	1.0 Fall
OUACHITA—				
Camden	30		20.0	0.3 Rise
Monroe	40		40.4	0.2 Fall

WORLD DISARMAMENT PARLEY IN SESSION AT GENEVA



Associated Press Photo

Here is a general view of the international disarmament conference in Geneva. It was made when Arthur Henderson of Great Britain, who is acting as chairman, addressed the opening session.

PLAINTIFFS WIN IN SUIT BROUGHT BY HONDLINKS

Sought to Break Will of Mother; Shooting Last Week Due to Case

Decision in favor of plaintiffs had been returned today in Ouachita Parish District Court in the case which resulted in the serious shooting Wednesday of John Hondlink, local butcher and one of the plaintiffs, and the arrest of Francis Eugene Robbins, half-brother of Hondlink, on a charge of shooting with intent to kill. The shooting occurred on the sidewalk at 411 DeSiard Street.

By winning the judgment, plaintiffs acquire title to the east one-half of lots one and two, square 26, Stevens, Hubbard and Springer Addition, being located on Washington Street, 60 feet from the intersection with Fourth Street, and to eight shares of stock in the People's Homestead and Savings Association, valued at $100 a share.

Plaintiffs in the case are John Hondlink, the man who was shot, James B. Hondlink and Laconia Hondlink Gonzales, wife of Allen Gonzales, while defendants are Dolla Bella Robbins, wife of T. John, Charlotte Temple Robbins, wife of Charles Miller, Anna Mae Robbins, wife of David W. Walters, and Francis Eugene Robbins, Jr.

When the will was probated following the death of Mrs. Lucretia Sphon Robbins, mother of all the plaintiffs and defendants, the defendants were recognized as heirs. The judgment recognizes the Hondlink children as heirs to the property left by their mother.

According to the plaintiffs' suit, Mrs. Robbins made a will several months before her death, which occurred November 29, 1930. The will was shown as follows:

"I, Lucretia Robbins, being of sound

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DEPRESSION ENDED WITH COOPERATION IN TOWN OF WREN

WRENS, Ga., Feb. 15.—(AP)—A system of co-operative production, manufacturing and distribution has enabled members of the Wrens community center to bury the depression under soil which feeds, clothes and enriches those who till it.

It is the successful application of the ancient theory that dirt is the prime factor in economic development and that collective endeavor is the shortest cut to normal prosperity.

The system of collective ownership and operation was inaugurated in this little Jefferson County community about four years ago when farmers of the Cotton Co-operative Association decided to operate a gin for themselves. They borrowed money from the association, established the gin and repaid the loan with nominal ginning fees.

Profits from the industry gave them complete possession of the gin in three years, so they took over another gin in the community and had a local monopoly of the industry.

The gospel of the diversification brought fruit early here and the farmers soon began feeding themselves from their own land before growing cotton—their money crop.

Rotation of grain crops brought demands for mills, so the enterprising farmers built a modern flour mill and operated it for the mutual benefit of the association. Corn meal mills then were established, and now the "community center" is able to take care of its own. It can do co-operative purchasing, planting and marketing. The plan is unique in the South because it goes to such complete conclusion.

Cardozo Chosen by Hoover To Succeed Justice Holmes

New York Judge, a Democrat, Was Supported By Liberals

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—(AP)—Benjamin Nathan Cardozo, chief justice of the New York State Court of Appeals, was appointed by President Hoover today to the Supreme Court vacancy caused by the resignation of Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes.

Benjamin Nathan Cardozo now is chief justice of New York State Court of Appeals. He has been strongly recommended by various elements describing themselves as liberals. He is a Democrat and a Jew.

The name was to be forwarded to the Senate some time today.

Confirmation is assured.

Cardozo has the backing of New York's two senators and is also known to be favored by such leaders as Borah of Idaho, who opposed confirmation of Chief Justice Hughes and Judge John J. Parker.

The president conferred with Senator Watson of Indiana, the Republican leader, and other administration senators before making known his choice finally.

He has been canvassing the nation for weeks looking for the successor of Justice Holmes.

Appointment of Cardozo makes the political line up of the Supreme Court five Republicans, and four Democrats. Holmes was a Republican.

CORONER STATES J. SAENGER DIED FROM POISONING

Official Says Potion Was Taken By Louisiana Theater Man

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 15.—(AP)—Coroner George F. Roeling announced today that Julian Saenger, founder of the chain of Saenger motion picture theaters, had died of poisoning self-administered. He was found in a locked bathroom of his room on the night of February 6th and died before he could be taken to the hospital. At first as a heart attack was blamed for his death.

After death the viscera was sent to the city chemist for examination. Today he reported he had found definite traces of a deadly poison.

Members of the Saenger family were shocked at his death. A few minutes previously he had appeared in good spirits at the family dinner table. Groans from the bathroom attracted attention and the door was opened by removing a panel.

He died before the ambulance reached the hospital.

President Von Hindenburg Will Run For Reelection

BERLIN, Feb. 15.—(AP)—President Paul von Hindenburg, who led an army in the World War and the German republic for the past seven years, announced today that, at the age of 84, he will obey the mandate of millions of Germans and be a candidate to succeed himself when his term expires in May.

There is every indication he will be elected, and it was generally believed that if he had thought there was any chance of defeat, he would not have offered himself as candidate. In recent weeks he said he would not continue in office unless the nation called him with an unmistakable majority. In that time 2,500,000 persons have signed a petition asking him to run.

CANNON DECISION TO BE APPEALED BY GOVERNMENT

District Attorney Says Appeal to Be Ready Within Week

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—(AP)—The government notified the District of Columbia Supreme Court today that it would appeal from last Saturday's decision which invalidated corrupt practices act indictments against Bishop James Cannon, Jr., and Miss Ada L. Burroughs.

John J. Wilson, assistant district attorney, who acted for the government, said the appeal might be ready for the District Court of Appeals "within a week." Sixty days are allowed for perfecting it.

Justice James M. Proctor in sustaining a demurrer to the Cannon-Burroughs indictment held it was invalid because it did not allege as a fact that Miss Burroughs had knowledge of the contributions of E. C. Jameson, wealthy New Yorker, to the churchmen's 1928 anti-Smith campaign fund.

Miss Burroughs was the Bishop's secretary at that time and acted as treasurer of his anti-Smith organization.

Proctor did not pass on the constitutionality of the corrupt practices act, which also was attacked in the demurrer.

TWO KILLED; ONE ARRESTED

MUNCIE, Ind., Feb. 15.—(AP)—Entering the property occupied by Arnold Johnson, 48, to rescue his wife's pet kitten atop a tree, Harry Lyle, 50, was shot and killed by Johnson here late yesterday. As Lyle fell dead, Mrs. Neta S. Lyle, the widow, came upon the scene and opened fire with a revolver fatally shooting Johnson. Mrs. Lyle is in jail charged with murder. Johnson objected to Lyle trespassing on the land where the tree was located and the shooting resulted.

MAINTAINS HE IS GOVERNOR THROUGH LAW

Denies Conspiracy, Holding of Office By Means of Force

DR. CYR IS PLAINTIFF

Asserts He Is Recognized As Executive By U. S. Officials

LAKE CHARLES, La., Feb. 15.—(AP)—Denying that he obtained the office of governor by conspiracy and was holding it by force of arms, Alvin O. King, who succeeded Huey P. Long as governor of Louisiana today, filed exceptions to the ouster suit brought against him by Dr. Paul N. Cyr and asked the court to dismiss the suit for lack of jurisdiction.

Cyr, elected lieutenant-governor at the time Long was named governor, charged that conspiracy existed between Long and King to place the latter in the governor's position at the time Long went to Washington and took his seat in the United States Senate. As the elected lieutenant-governor, Cyr's suit asked that the court recognize him as governor.

King in his exception today emphatically denied the charge that he had obtained the governor's office by conspiracy and declared that he was in peaceful and lawful possession of the office and charged that Dr. Cyr in his ouster petition "intentionally omitted and suppressed" facts.

The exception of King maintained that he, as president pro tempore of the state Senate, succeeded to the lieutenant-governorship, formerly held by Cyr, without the latter's protest and received the pay provided for that office and that from the lieutenant-governorship he passed legally into the office of governor after Long had vacated it to go to Washington to take his seat in the United States Senate.

King declared in his exception that from the time he was inducted into the governor's office he has been recognized as governor by all the officials and departments of the state government.

He said he has been recognized as governor of Louisiana by President Hoover, General Frank R. McCoy, commanding general of the Fourth Corps Area of the United States Army.

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Wealthy Sportsman, Said Kidnaped, Still Missing

LAKE PLACID, N. Y., Feb. 15.—(AP)—Harry H. Blagden, wealthy sportsman reported kidnaped, was still missing today, but his family has announced the case will be cleared up before night fall.

The relatives of the man, missing since Thursday night, appeared determined to make the case strictly a family affair, blaming publicity for the failure of the kidnapers to keep a rendezvous at Tupper Lake yesterday at which the $1,000 ransom was to have been paid for Blagden's release, they clamped a lid of silence on developments saying merely everything would be cleared up today.

Heavy Gunfire Crashes in Chapei Sector of Shanghai

SHANGHAI, China, Feb. 15.—(AP)—Heavy gunfire crashed in the Chapei sector soon after dark tonight, ending a day of comparative quiet, and observers in the international settlement thought it might be the beginning of the big push in which 25,000 Japanese will be thrown against a Chinese army twice as big.

Heavy artillery was blazing from the Japanese lines and Chinese trench mortar batteries responded weakly. The fire seemed to be concentrated on Chapei and the armies at Woosung had not resumed their engagement.

Official reports indicated that more than 85,000 soldiers, 10,000 of them comprising the foreign garrison, were massed in the Shanghai-Woosung area, awaiting a tremendous battle, which promised to put far in the background all previous military action of more than two weeks of heavy fighting.

United States consular authorities advised all Americans in outlying places in the lower Yangtze valley to evacuate these towns and come to Shanghai because of the possibility of widespread hostilities.

Thousands of additional Japanese troops unloaded from four more transports in the river today and marched to quarters, accompanied by artillery, machine gun equipment and a hospital corps and naval headquarters announced that further detachments are expected shortly. The total number of Japanese troops here now was given as approximately 25,000.

General Tsai Ting-Kai, commander of the Chinese troops in the area said two new divisions have been added to his army, bringing the total number of Chinese soldiers now ready to oppose the expected big Japanese thrust to 50,000. The two new divisions, the Chinese said, comprised 20,000 men.

The forces of the foreign powers, after the arrival of a French contingent which is expected shortly, will number slightly more than 10,000 troops.

There were the many other signs of Chinese preparations to resist to the utmost a new Japanese advance on Chapei.

New Howitzer batteries have been

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China Prepares to Request League to Boycott Nippon

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GENEVA, Switzerland, Feb. 15.—(AP)—China prepared today to call upon the League of Nations to authorize an economic boycott against Japan, the most drastic action provided for in the covenant of the League of Nations, unless redress is obtained through a special meeting of the league assembly, under article XV of the covenant, which it has invoked officially.

The decision of W. W. Yen, Chinese spokesman, coincided with a report received by the league from its investigating commission at Shanghai in which the commissioners declared "a state of open war exists" there and "the offensive is entirely in the hands of the Japanese, whose declared object is to capture the Woosung forts and drive all Chinese to a considerable distance" from the city.

The report was signed by Count Galeazzo Ciano, son-in-law of Premier Benito Mussolini of Italy and Italian consul general at Shanghai.

Coupled with the news that Japan had landed 12,000 fresh troops at Shanghai, the report stirred the league to its depths. The general assembly was asked for by Mr. Yen last Friday and he said today he was determined to go on with the appeal if the council decided it would not convene the meeting itself.

His next plea, he said, will be under Article XVI of the covenant, which provides for an economic boycott.

Naotake Sato, Japanese delegate, said Japan would oppose the Chinese plea. The Japanese would take exception to the transfer of any portion of the Sino-Japanese dispute to the scope of Article XV, he said. Reports were circulated again that the Japanese planned to withdraw from the league if the assembly were convoked, but the Japanese delegation denied this emphatically.

Much significance was attached in some quarters however, to the fact that instead of going directly to league headquarters for information, the Japanese spokesman visited Rene Massigli, French representative, to obtain an opinion regarding the procedure involved in calling a meeting of the assembly.

The report of the league's commission also said a "reign of terror" resulted in the Hongkew district of the international settlement at Shanghai after its occupation by the Japanese.

3 BOYS ESCAPE AT TRAINING SCHOOL; WERE IN HOSPITAL

Two Got Their Clothes While Third Attired In Night Shirt

Three boys in the hospital ward at Louisiana Training Institute made their escape this morning, according to a report made by Judge Charles Schulze, superintendent. Two of the boys succeeded in obtaining their clothes before leaving the building but the third fled in his night gown.

The boys who escaped were Dewey Brady of Bogalusa, Murtis Hyde of near Winnfield, and Willis Drounet of Crowley, each about 16 years old. Hyde was described as being tall and having black hair and Brady was also said to have black hair. Drounet was said to have a bad eye, to be stooped and to talk with a strong French accent. Brady has escaped from the institution four times, but on each of the three previous occasions was captured and brought back within a short time.

Judge Schulze said the boys had been suffering from insipient influenza and had been in the hospital ward for four days. They made their escape by cutting the screen on a window and climbing down from the second floor.

Milton Best, who escaped from the institute about six weeks ago, returned last night and gave himself up, Judge Schulze said.

Three boys who escaped about two weeks ago were captured a week later by Sheriff Campbell of Concordia Parish, and returned to the institute. They were Frank Lafasso, John Ryan and George Crowder, Jr. It was the third time Lafasso and Ryan had escaped.

ADVICE COMMITTEES ARE ANNOUNCED BY U. S. ORGANIZATION

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—(AP)—Advisory committees which will advise with loan agents from would-be borrowers were announced last night by the Federal Reconstruction Finance Corporation.

Those appointed included:

Memphis Agency: chairman, W. R. Herstein, Memphis; L. A. Thornton, Memphis; S. W. Wardlaw, Memphis; E. C. Tefft, Memphis; W. W. Campbell, Forrest City, Ark.

New Orleans agency: Chairman, R. S. Hecht, New Orleans; Oliver G. Lucas, New Orleans; Clay W. Beckner, New Orleans; A. B. Patterson, New Orleans; J. D. O'Keefe, New Orleans; James W. Bolton, Alexandria; Travis Oliver, Monroe; Ben Johnson, Shreveport.

Sub-advisory committee for Mississippi: R. E. Kennington, Jackson; G. M. McWilliams, Hattiesburg; W. N. Cheney, Jackson; B. C. Adams, Grenada; G. L. Doland, Jackson; S. R. Wrhitten, Jr., Jackson; Frank H. Andrews, Vicksburg; E. P. Peacock, Clarksdale.

WINS HIGH HONOR

The Royal Astronomical Society's highest honor, the Gold Medal, has been awarded to Dr. Robert Grant Aitken, director of the Lick Observatory of California.

QUICK RELIEF FROM HEADACHE

Stanback Headache Powders relieve headache in a jiffy, also the pains of women's "monthly curse" if of a purely functional nature. They also relieve neuralgia pain, grippe ache, sore throat ache, fever ache, aches from colds, muscle ache, bone ache and nervousness.

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Get the BIG package. You'll like Rinso's soapy suds for dishes, too.

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TARZAN AT THE EARTH'S CORE

—By Edgar Rice Burroughs

The Horibs came closer, halted their hideous mounts and faced Tarzan and The Red Flower of Zoram. Now for the first time the ape-man had a good view of these awesome creatures of the inner world. Tarzan had seen many strange creations of Mother Nature. "But these," he thought, "are more evil and repellent than anything I could have imagined." They had three-toed feet and five-fingered hands, which with two short horns and pointed ears gave them a grotesque look.

They sat silently upon their mounts with their toes locked behind the elbows of the Gorobors, some of which measured ten feet long, inspecting Jana and himself with their beady, lidless eyes. He was astounded by their uncooth appearance, but that emotion was as nothing to the shock he was about to receive. For the leading Horib suddenly spoke, addressing Tarzan in the common language of the gilaks of Pellucidar. "You cannot escape," it said, "lay down your weapons."

Meanwhile, Jason Gridley and the man from Zoram slowly wedged their way through the swampland, seeking the village of the Phelians. Here, they believed, The Red Flower of Zoram was held captive. At last they reached a curious huddle of dwellings which the American's companion said must be the houses of the low country hairy men. No one was in sight. The silence was uncanny, but it did not deceive Thoar who believed that many eyes peered at them from hidden places.

"Well," exclaimed Gridley, "what next?" Tnoar looked longingly at the American's revolvers. "With one of those things that spit fire, we might soon find Jana," he said. "Come on then," answered Jason, "I would sacrifice more than my ammunition to find The Red Flower of Zoram!" The two started on a run toward the nearest dwelling. Neither man saw the many cruel eyes that watched them from behind nearby trees, nor heard the orders a thick-whiskered fellow gave his followers.

ANSWER IS FILED IN OUSTER SUIT

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and by John Barton Payne, chairman of the American Red Cross.

King claimed in his answer to the suit that Cyr had voluntarily surrendered and abandoned the office of lieutenant-governor at the time he (King) rose into the position from his place at the head of the state Senate.

When Long crossed the state line on the night of January 23 for the city of Washington, averred King, "this defendant, Alvin O. King, by virtue of the Constitution and laws of the state of Louisiana, became acting governor of the state of Louisiana and immediately took charge and assumed control of the office of governor of the state of Louisiana."

Then, said King, upon being informed that Long had taken his oath of United States senator in Washington, thereby vacating the governor's office, he took the oath of governor and has since been performing the duties of the office in a peaceable manner.

Cyr filed his suit in District Court here because Lake Charles is the residence of King. The suit is similar to one he filed recently against Long at Shreveport seeking to oust Long from the governor's office and to have himself declared governor on the grounds that he as lieutenant-governor should succeed to the governorship in the face of Long's attempt to hold both the governorship and the United States Senate office.

This suit was dismissed in the lower court for no cause of action and the dismissal was upheld by the Supreme Court for lack of jurisdiction. The Supreme Court last week refused to reopen the case on Cyr's argument that their decision was inconsistent with references cited in the opinion.

While awaiting action of the courts Cyr opened what he termed the official executive offices of Louisiana in a Baton Rouge hotel, but last week he abandoned the office and returned to his home in Jeanerette.

Senator Long after turning the office over to King announced that King was the governor and that Cyr was "completely out" by his taking the governor's oath and "relinquishing" the office of lieutenant-governor.

King's exceptions were filed by a group of attorneys who volunteered their services. They are McCoy and Moss; Pujo, Bell and Hardin; and Cline, Plauche and Thompson, all of Lake Charles; Wylie M. Barrow of Baton Rouge and George H. Terriberry of New Orleans.

PLAINTIFFS WIN IN SUIT BROUGHT BY HONDLINKS

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mind, this day, the 16th of August, want my children by my last marriage, Francis Eugene Robbins, have everything in my house. Dolly John, Annie Mae Walters, Charlotte Miller and Francis Eugene Robbins and Francis Eugene Robbins to stay here till it is sold, and want T. John, my son-in-law, to attend to it for them after my funeral expenses is paid. Want a double tombstone for my husband and myself out of it, not more than $500, then divide my other equal with all my children, John Hondlink, James Hondlink, Laconia Gonzales, by my first husband, Dolla Bella John, Annie Mae Walters, Charlotte Temple Miller, Francis Eugene Robbins by my last husband. This my last will, the 16th day of August, 1930."

The suit on which the judgment was rendered was filed in September.

Testimony brought out in the trial was said to have resulted in the shooting of Hondlink. Robbins told police following the shooting that Hondlink was a bully and tried to whip him after calling him out.

CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED

Two contributions of $25 each were received by the Ouachita Parish Red Cross Chapter today. The contributions were given by Mrs. E.S. Pegram and I. T. Davis.

SOCIETY SUNTAN AT PALM BEACH

Associated Press Photo

Mrs. Oscar Miller (left) and Mrs. Gail Grant, Palm Beach, Fla., society leaders, wear costumes that invite plenty of sunshine—on the back. Similar outfits have found wide popularity in the south.

E. O. SMITH TAKES OATH OF OFFICE AS COUNCILMAN

West Monroe Lumberman Succeeds W. N. Morris As Alderman

E. O. Smith, prominent lumberman and resident of West Monroe for 25 years, was sworn into the office of West Monroe city councilman this morning, succeeding Walter N. Morris, former councilman, who has moved, with his family, to Shreveport.

Mr. Smith was sworn into office by City Judge Decker Moore, following announcement of the new councilman's appointment by Governor Alvin O. King. The appointment was made on recommendation of the city council.

The present administrative period of West Monroe city government will end June 3, 1934, giving Mr. Smith more than two years in office through his appointment.

Other members of the council are: Mayor C. C. Bell, Councilmen H. A. McDonald, H. A. Brownlee, Fred Mitchell and W. S. Heard.

In the recent flood fight, Mr. Smith worked valiantly, being foreman of a stretch of two and a half miles of levee in West Monroe.

HOLD NEGROES FOR THEFT

Arch Anderson and George Lang, Monroe, negroes, are prisoners in the Morehouse Parish Jail at Bastrop, charged with theft of miscellaneous merchandise from Bastrop stores. The negroes were arrested at Collinston by E. L. Hinton, night marshal of that town.

LOSES FIGHT

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—(AP)—Harry M. Blackmer, former Colorado oil operator, today lost his fight in the Supreme Court to set aside fines totaling $60,000 for his failure to return to this country to testify in the Sinclair-Fall prosecutions arising out of the Teapot Dome oil scandals.

Germany, the United States and France consume more than half of the total commercial fertilizer produced.

G. O. P. MASS MEET IS CALLED FOR FEBRUARY 24TH

A mass meeting has been called of all registered Republican voters who are legally qualified as such at the courthouse on Wednesday, February 24 at 7:30 p. m.

The purpose of the meeting is to elect delegates to the state convention of the Republican party from the fifth Congressional district. The state meet is to be held at Alexandria on March 2, 1932.

The call for the local mass meeting was issued by Albert A. Thoman, member of the State Central Committee of the Republican party.

HEAVY ARTILLERY BOOMS IN CHAPEI

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brought into the fighting zone and the Chinese soldiers worked desperately to strengthen their secondary defenses. Lines of trenches and barbed wire barricades were being established some distance back of the front and additional ammunition supplies were issued to the machine gun detachments.

The American consulate said its advice to Americans to evacuate interior cities had gone to a number of places within 100 miles of Shanghai, including Soochow, where 100 Americans live. It was also sent to Wusih, Changchow, Kiangyin and Changchu. About 65 Americans live in the latter group of towns.

The Chinese armies also seemed preparing to insure an orderly and dogged retreat if they should find it necessary to fall back before the power of the Japanese advance. Most of their new troops have been assigned to the Kiangwan sector in which there has been considerable action during the past week.

The belief was expressed by Chinese military authorities that the Japanese plan much of their offensive action for this vicinity.

A number of Japanese shells fell into the sectors patrolled by United States Marines and American and English members of the Shanghai volunteer corps during a bombardment today.

SMOKE CAUSES ALARM

Smoke believed to have been created by a short circuit in electric wires in the attic of the residence of C. M. Ponder, 704 South Second Street, resulted in a call being made to the fire department this morning. Firemen discovered no fire in the attic. Electricians were then called to inspect the wiring system.

If it were possible to reach the moon, an adult weighing 175 pounds on earth would weigh only 29 pounds on the moon.

POWERS PROTEST JAPANESE MISUSE

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to the league that a condition of war exists.

It is not known definitely that Cunningham signed this report, but it was assumed among officials that it was worked out with his full cooperation and approval.

AMBASSADORS CALL AT FOREIGN OFFICE

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TOKYO, Feb. 15.—Ambassador W. Cameron Forbes of the United States and Ambassadors Lindley and De Martel of Great Britain and France called at the foreign office late this afternoon on invitation of Foreign Minister Kenkichi Yoshizawa and it was understood the foreign minister explained to them the reasons why Japan deemed it necessary to send thousands of additional troops to Shanghai.

The foreign minister was also understood to have outlined why Japan believes it necessary to drive the Chinese army back to a "safe distance" from Shanghai in case the Chinese refuse to withdraw voluntarily.

Official censorship on news of the troop movements to Shanghai was lifted by the government today and it was also made known that Lieutenant-General Kenkichi Uyeda, commander of the Japanese land forces at Shanghai, was expected to present an ultimatum to the Chinese shortly, demanding that they withdraw.

If the Chinese refused to comply with the terms of the ultimatum, it was stated, General Uyeda was expected to launch an early renewal of the Japanese offensive, aided by the large reinforcements of men and munitions landed there today and yesterday.

The total Japanese forces at Shanghai were given here as now comprising about 15,000 men. This included nearly two divisions of army troops, part of the twelfth and all of the ninth.

Dispatches to the Rengo News Agency from Changchun, Manchuria, said "spectacular developments" were expected there, including the establishment of an independent state of Manchuria. Chinese leaders were assembling at Mukden, the dispatches said, to arrange the final details for the new state.

THIRTEEN PERSONS LOSE THEIR LIVES IN AUTO ACCIDENTS

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 15.—(AP)—Thirteen persons lost their lives in week-end automobile accidents in the South.

North Carolina reported four fatalities, Tennessee and Georgia had three each and Florida, Arkansas, and Alabama each had one.

Remer Lanier, 10, and Henry Campbell, 60-year-old negro, were killed when their car left the highway on a turn at Statesboro, Ga. Gus Stoddard, county roller engineer, was injured fatally when a train hit his automobile at a crossing near Atlanta.

At Montrose, Ark., Robert B. McCombs, planter, was drowned when his car went over an embankment into a boyou. D. P. Wade of Floyd, Va., was killed by an automobile at Tampa, Fla. Mrs. Blanche Craft was struck and killed by a car that failed to stop near Mobile, Ala.

The Rev. and Mrs. Howard C. Johnson of Memphis were burned to death when their automobile hit another and burst into flames near Brownsville, Tenn. Locker H. Bibb was killed in a truck-automobile collision near Nashville, Tenn.

More money has been spent on ornaments by the United States during the past fiscal year than by any other country in the world.

To Stop Itching In Two Minutes

This formula for skin diseases is astounding the most skeptical in the marvelous way it heals severe cases of eczema, tetter, ringworm, itch and athlete's foot. The minute it touches the sore you feel a cooling, soothing sensation; in a few days you marvel at how your skin has healed. If you suffer with skin diseases of any kind, get from any druggist a 60c box of Tetterine, and get relief or get your money back. Shuptrine Co., Savannah, Ga. (adv.)

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A Medicinal Tonic for Women who are run-down or suffer every month. Sold by Druggists

"MERCY" SLAYER

Associated Press Photo

Charles S. Stanhouse, 39, a quarry worker of Millersburg, O., confessed he killed his two-year-old son because the boy suffered from an incurable brain infection.

Lake Providence Store Broken Into Last Night

LAKE PROVIDENCE, La., Feb. 15.—(Special)—Entering Galanty's store here last night through a trap door, burglars rifled the cash register, outfitted themselves with clothes, and made good their escape.

The robbery was discovered when the store was opened this morning, and was immediately reported to authorities. About $5 was taken from the cash register. The extent of clothing stolen had not yet been determined. A check is being made.

No clues were left by the burglars. Authorities are making a wide search for them.

An ancient ceremony in High Wycombe, England, requires each mayor to be weighed before entering office.

New Comfort for Those Who Wear

FALSE TEETH

No longer does any wearer of false teeth need to be uncomfortable. Fasteeth, a new, greatly improved powder, sprinkled on upper or lower plates, holds them firm and comfortable. No gummy, gooey, pasty taste or feeling. Deodorizes. Get Fasteeth today at Collens & Thompson or any other good drug store. —Adv.

'Not As Naughty As You Think!

Why turn her face to the wall—it's such a pretty face!

It's true she spent a night in a man's apartment after he warned her his intentions were

'STRICTLY DISHONORABLE'

but wait till you see what really happens in this surprising Universal picture with

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Today — Walter Huston, Lois Wilson, Harry Carey, Raymond Hatton —in— "LAW AND ORDER"

FIRE CAUSES LOSS IN TWO CITIES OF NORTH LOUISIANA

Tallulah and Delhi Visited By Flames; Breaux Bridge Loss

Fires early yesterday did damage to structures at Tallulah, Delhi and Breaux Bridge, La.

An estimated damage of $40,000 was done in the destruction by fire at Tallulah of Scurrias' store and the Morris cash store. The fire, fanned by a high wind, was of undetermined origin. Vicksburg, Miss., and Lake Providence, La., fire departments were called out but reached the scene too late.

At Delhi the Illinois Central Railroad station was destroyed by a fire which started in the building's attic. Firemen left believing the flames extinguished but later the blaze broke out anew and burned the depot to the ground.

The Breaux Bridge fire which was said to have been caused by the explosion of an oil heater, destroyed Guidros restaurant and the barber shops of Trosclaire and Wiltz, and Godfrey Pellerin, Lafayette, La., firemen succeeded in preventing the flames spreading to other buildings. The buildings damaged were owned by Mrs. Marius Guidroz and Emile Girard.

ADD TO FORESTS

More than 500,000,000 acres of land in 19 states were added to national forests in the United States during the past fiscal year. Purchase of this land was made at an average cost of $3.50 an acre.

Men Trying to Cut Levee; Shots Fired

Two shots were fired last night between 7:30 and 8 o'clock at several persons allegedly attempting to cut a levee in the vicinity of Brooks Bend, according to a report made to F. M. Hill, superintendent of parish road maintenance. The shots were said to have been fired by a man employed by a plantation owner to guard the levee in that vicinity.

Mr. Hill said the report of the shooting was phoned to him and that he did not obtain the name of the man who fired the shots. The man who phoned in the report said he believed the shots he fired wounded one person among several in a boat. Because of the heavy fog, it was difficult to observe the movements of the men, but their actions were said to have been suspicious.

$500 Reward Offered for a Name

The distributors of one of the fastest selling lines of cosmetics in Hollywood are going to introduce a new Bath Soap which they claim is unexcelled for its soothing and cleansing effects. Before spending thousands of dollars in advertising it, they want to be sure the new Bath Soap has the best possible name, and are therefore offering a five hundred dollars reward to the person who suggests the name they choose as most suitable. Readers of this announcement are urged to send in their suggestions for a name at once, because two hundred and fifty dollars extra will be given the winner if name is mailed and postmarked before February 21, 1932. Each contestant must send only one name; otherwise he will be disqualified, and the name must be mailed to Hollywood Marvel Products Co., Studio B-869, 1023 N. Sycamore Ave., Hollywood, California. Everyone is invited to submit a name and in case of ties duplicate prizes will be given. Officials of the firm say that any name may win the seven hundred and fifty dollars, even if submitted on a postcard or scrap of paper; so send your suggestion at once. —(adv.)

STOP THAT COLD

DISTRESSING cold in chest or throat—that so often leads to something serious—generally responds to good old Musterole with the first application. Should be more effective if used *once every hour for five hours.*

This famous blend of oil of mustard, camphor, menthol and other helpful ingredients brings relief naturally. Musterole gets action because it is a scientific *"counter-irritant"*—not just a salve—it penetrates and stimulates blood circulation, helps to draw out infection and pain. Used by millions for 20 years. Recommended by doctors and nurses.

To Mothers—Musterole is also made in milder form for babies and small children. Ask for Children's Musterole.

MUSTEROLE
BETTER THAN A MUSTARD PLASTER

Catch Current Prices Before the Tide Turns

"Time and tide wait for no man"

Nor are the low prices of today and the turn of the tide toward higher prices going to wait for those who haven't the vision, courage and foresight to buy when prices are at the lowest ebb in 15 years.

And this changing of the tide as applied to prices is more than a mere simile . . . it's a certainty . . . price tides change as surely as ocean tides.

Today's prices on food, clothing, furniture, furs, cars and other things are from 40% to 100% lower than they have been in years and lower than they will be before the turn of another season.

Don't be caught off your guard when it's so important that your savings be guarded.

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CLARKSON IS NOW IN HOT SPRINGS WITH J. C. HYER

District Governor of Lions Seeking to Bring President to Monroe

A. B. Clarkson, district governor of Lions, spent yesterday and today in Hot Springs, where he went to join Julian C. Hyer, of Fort Worth, president of Lions International. It is the earnest desire of Mr. Clarkson to secure the presence of the president in this city next month when the all-Louisiana banquet is held. Before leaving Monroe last Saturday) Mr. Clarkson expressed the opinion that he would in all probability be able to secure the presence of the official here for the occasion.

President Hyer has been associated with Lions clubs for more than 12 years, and is an able speaker. He was born in Greenville, S. C. He served one term in the Texas Senate, 1929-1930; is past commander of the Bothwell Kane post of the American Legion, Fort Worth; is a Shriner, Knight Templar, Odd Fellow, Knight of Pythias and also belongs to other orders.

At the Toronto, Canada, convention the largest convention yet held by the association, Mr. Hyer was elected international president for 1931-1932.

He is noted for his wit, repartee and story-telling ability. As president he heads an organization of 2500 clubs.

EARLY FORESTERS

Pioneer farmers in the middle west planted thousands of trees. It is estimated they planted 240,000 acres in Iowa, 40,000 in Illinois, 14,000 in Ohio, and 10,000 in Missouri.

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Same formula . . same price. In original form, too, if you prefer
20 21 for COLDS VICKS VAPORUB
OVER 17 MILLION JARS USED YEARLY

POULTRY MEETS TO BE HELD HERE IN NEAR FUTURE

Persons interested in raising poultry are invited in letters sent out by Mrs. Jewel L. McQuiller, home demonstration agent, to attend the second of a series of poultry meetings. The letter follows:

"This is to give you a special invitation to attend the second of a series of poultry meetings which is being held in Ouachita Parish this spring by the Extension Poultrymen of the Louisiana State University, in cooperation with the county and home demonstration agents of Ouachita Parish.

"Mr. C. L. Hill, Assistant Extension Poultryman, Louisiana State University, will be with us for this meeting. He will discuss results of the 1930 "Grow Healthy Chick" program and "Care and Management of Baby Chicks."

"Carefully kept records of the 1931 "grow healthy chick" demonstrators showed that by careful management and following a few simple rules in "Grow Healthy Chicks" that the mortality has been reduced to as low as 6 1-2 per cent on several thousand chicks.

"If you are interested in securing the best information on method of preventing your baby chick losses, I feel sure that you will be well paid for attending this meeting.

"The meeting will start at 2 p. m. and will last only one hour. I feel sure that you could not spend an hour more profitably than to come to this meeting."

DOBBS AT TALLULAH

TALLULAH, La., Feb. 15.—(Special)—Bishop Hoyt M. Dobbs, of Shreveport, presiding bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, of Arkansas and Louisiana, was the guest of the Methodist Church here Sunday, presiding at the 11 o'clock services.

COUPLE IS MARRIED

Cedris Jarvis of Bastrop and Miss Madeline Albright of West Monroe, were married at the West Monroe Methodist Church Saturday night. The couple will make their home at Bastrop.

IDLE COOK GETS AL'S DERBY

Associated Press Photo

It was a big day for George Stumpf, jobless sea cook, when he walked into a New York free clothes depot and received an outfit that once belonged to Alfred Smith, former New York governor. A tailor is shown fitting the suit, and one of Al's famous brown derbies went with it.

Fruit Culture in Ouachita To Be Given New Impetus

A plan inaugurated for the purpose of establishing Ouachita Parish as a cantaloupe and fruit growing section will be outlined at a meeting of farmers Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the auditorium of Crosley School, West Monroe. H. C. Foster, chief agricultural agent of the Missouri Pacific Railroad, sponsor of the agricultural program, will be the principal speaker of the meeting.

All farmers of the parish are invited to attend the meeting. Already, considerable interest has been manifest in the project. Five hundred acres of land have already been pledged for planting cantaloupes this year.

A commission house in St. Louis, Mo., is cooperating with the railroad in offering a ready market for products of the project.

Some of the principal features of the project are:

Seed of two varieties of cantaloupes which have proven best in the markets will be furnished the farmer by the commission house, the Fruit Supply Company of St. Louis. The farmer, in turn signs a contract to allow the commission house to sell the fruit which he raises.

Agricultural agents of the Missouri Pacific Railroad will advise the farmer on best methods of planting, cultivating and fertilizing the melons.

When the crop matures the commission house will send its organization and workers here, including field workers who will show the farmers how to gather the crop without damage and loss.

A packing house will be established, where the fruit will be graded, crated, labelled and shipped by experienced packers.

A minimum acreage guarantee of 500 acres was asked before the proposition would be put into effect. This has already been secured, it was announced last night.

I. C. C. APPROVES TWO RAIL LOANS BY GOVERNMENT

Sanctions $1,500,000 Immediately For Missouri Pacific

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—(AP)—The Interstate Commerce Commission today approved loans by the Reconstruction Finance Commission to the Missouri Pacific Railroad and the Wabash Railway.

The commission approved an immediate loan of $1,500,000 to the Missouri Pacific to take care of loans which matured January 31 and on which the company had secured an extension until February 15.

The Missouri Pacific had applied for authorization to borrow $23,250,000 from the corporation but the commission held that it did not seem advisable to approve more than was needed to pay immediate and pressing items.

The Wabash was granted permission to borrow $7,173,800 to pay equipment obligations and certain other pressing items. The company had asked approval of a borrowing totalling $18,500,000.

The commission, however, declined to approve the entire amount at this time, saying it would await the outcome of negotiations between receivers for the Wabash and banks to which the money is owing.

The Missouri Pacific application said it believed it could obtain money from the Railroad Credit Corporation to repay the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, as soon as funds are available in the treasury of the railroad organization.

OUACHITA WILL CONTINUE FALL, BUREAU STATES

Cline Says, However, That Mississippi Will Rise Higher

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 15.—(AP)—The United States Weather Bureau here today warned that the Mississippi River below Vicksburg and the Atchafalaya will continue to rise well into March but that the Red River below Shreveport and the Ouachita at Monroe would continue to fall slowly.

There will be very little change in the Black River at Jonesville during the next few days, said the forecast issued by Dr. I. M. Cline, principal meteorologist of the bureau.

Stages on the Mississippi River are indicated as follows:

Natchez (today's stage 49.9), expected to rise to between 51 and 51.5 feet by March 2.

Angola (today's stage 49.4), 50.6 to 51.4 feet expected by March 5.

Baton Rouge (today's stage 39.5), between 41 and 42 feet expected by March 9 to 12.

Ulaquemine, 37 to 37.5 feet expected.

Donaldsonville (present stage 30.9), rise expected between 32.5 to 33 feet.

Reserve (today's stage 23.6), expected stage between 24.5 to 25 feet.

New Orleans (today's stage 17.6 feet) expected stage between 18.6 feet to 19.6 feet (flood stage 17 feet).

Atchafalaya stages expected follow:

Simmesport (now 44.7 feet) expected stage 45.8 to 46.8 feet.

Melville (now 40.7 feet), stage expected between 42 and 43 feet.

Atchafalaya, 24.5 to 24.8 expected.

'CRAZY' REQUIREMENTS

DIXON, Ill.—(AP)—Your wardrobe must include the following if you would enter the state hospital for the insane as a fully recognized inmate: Two pairs of woolen pantaloons, three shirts and a dark cravat. Superintendent Murray believes this and certain other regulations have been outlawed by time and should be repealed.

CHARITY MOVIES CAUSE ARRESTS IN ATLANTA, GA.

Summonses Served On All Theater Operators In City

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 15.—(AP)—Atlanta's first full program of Sunday movies, arranged for the benefit of the mayor's emergency relief committee, has resulted in the arrest of 13 theater managers.

Acting on the instructions of Police Chief James L. Beavers, who said a complaint had been made by Mrs. J. E. Andrews, chairman of the Georgia Woman's Committee for Law Enforcement, four detectives made the rounds of the city's playhouses yesterday serving summonses.

The theater managers were ordered to appear in city court tomorrow and Wednesday on charges of violating the city ordinance against operation of moving picture shows on Sunday and cashiers and operators were instructed to be present as witnesses against their employers.

It was the first time in the city's history that there was a general operation of Sunday shows and the detectives visited every theater in the city proper except one neighborhood house that remained closed. Performances were permitted to continue as the summonses were served.

One Sunday movie sponsor was not arrested in the round up. Mrs. M. H. Margeson, relief committee chairman who has operated a downtown theater, closed week days, each Sunday for some time for charity, kept her show open through the afternoon and night, unmolested.

She was arrested recently on a Sunday movie charge but acquitted in recorder's court where it was held that a state law permitting Sunday shows for charity took precedence over the city ordinance.

TOUR OF MEXICO HAS TRAGIC END AS TWO MEN DIE

Heart Attacks Claim Lives of Mature Louisiana Citizens

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 15.—(AP)—Death had ended the sightseeing tour of two elderly Baton Rouge, La., tourists today, whose hearts failed to stand the strain of exertion in the high altitude of Mexico City.

Former State Senator Charles R. Holcombe, of Baton Rouge, was on the way north today, the sole survivor of the party of three friends that arrived two days ago. The bodies of his two companions were in coffins in the baggage car.

William Philips Connell, 58, bank president, and Anthony Doherty, 59, wealthy retired hardware merchant of Baton Rouge, will be buried there late this week. Doctors believe Holcombe will be some time recovering from his experience.

The two elderly Louisianians died early yesterday of heart attacks brought on by an extremely active day of sight-seeing climaxed by a late night visit to the Montparnasse Cabaret for a glimpse of the night life.

Connell became ill at the cabaret and died just as he was received at a nearby Red Cross emergency station. Doherty, shocked by the demise of his friend of thirty years, slumped over a police sergeant's desk and died in the Seventh District Police Station two hours later. He had just started to sign his declarations to the police regarding Connell's death.

The three men arrived here early Saturday morning and plunged into a round of sight-seeing, attempting to crowd in all the sights in a three-day visit. Their day's activity wound up at the cabaret with a party of friends.

OFFICERS ELECTED

TALLULAH, La., Feb. 15.—(Special)—Claud W. Davis, district agent of the extension division of Louisiana State University, addressed the Madison Parish Planters Club Wednesday evening on the subject of the agricultural outlook. Officers elected at this meeting for the ensuing year are E. Stewart Moberley, president; L. Ellery Furr, vice-president; H. F. Cassell, secretary-treasurer.

SCORPION OUR ANCESTOR

Prof. William Patten, of Dartmouth College, has traced vertebrate animals, including man, to an obscure race of sea scorpions which roamed the sea bottoms more than a thousand million years ago.

FLOODS WIPE AWAY 7 ESKIMO VILLAGES BEFORE CHRISTMAS

NOME, Alaska, Feb. 15.—(AP)—A meagre report, embodied in a letttr was the source today of news that seven Eskimo villages were wiped out by floods before Christmas on the mainland east of Nelson Island, with the loss of many lives.

The letter said floods over a large area were followed by severe cold and the bodies of numerous victims were later found encased in ice. The district is extremely isolated, with no communication system.

The section, northwest of the mouth of Kuskokwim, is flat and low-lying country, and serious floods have occurred there before, old timers recalled here. With no high country to which to escape, the inhabitants of the villages were trapped, the letter said.

The first news of the tragedy was carried overland to Hamilton, at the mouth of the Yukon, and mailed here by letter. It said the country from Nelson Island north to Cape Romanoff was flooded, but that the area east of Nelson Island was most severely hit.

Some confirmation of the floods, residents here pointed out, could be seen in that at about the time high waters and floods occurred as far north as here, 250 miles away, and all around Norton Sound.

The high tides, sea ice thrown on shore and flooded streams forced the abandonment of numerous villages on Norton Sound, driving inhabitants to higher land.

The Cascade range running through Washington and Oregon from the Canadian border to California has 16 major snow or glacier-clad peaks.

For Pains Due To Neuralgia

Millions have found quick relief from neuralgic headaches, rheumatic pains, and women's pains by taking Capudine. Being liquid it gives relief much quicker than tablets or powders. It soothes the nerves and quickly stops the pain.

Capudine does not upset the stomach and does not contain opiates. At drug stores in 10c, 30c, and 60c bottles, also by the dose at founts. (adv.)

Never Neglect Your Baby's Cold

There is no such thing as a "simple cold," even in babies. Colds can lead to dangerous infections of the ears, sinuses, antrims, bronchial tubes, or other parts of baby's delicate little anatomy. A thorough cleansing with Teethina, the kindly laxative for little bowels, acts nicely, safely and surely; regulating the liver, ridding the system of poisonous bile and mucous matter, and is an intestinal antiseptic. Teethina contains no narcotics and may be had wherever drugs are sold for only 30c. Get a package and give baby comforting relief. (Adv.)

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Forward

When one has listened too long to counsels of economic despair, a good antidote is a sort of solitaire that one can play with a pencil and paper and any handy compilation of American business and banking facts.

For example, by placing the national statistics for 1931 beside those of the last of the "normal" business years, 1914, one can astonish himself by discovering the high plane on which existence among us continues to function, and how far above the general level of pre-war living is the bottom of what we presently call a depression.

In 1913 the total national income was 36 billion dollars, or $360 per capita. Our total volume of retail trade in the earlier period was 22 billion dollars; in the latter 40 billion. Bank deposits went from 19 billion to 52 billion; savings accounts from nine billion to 28 billion. Making every allowance for increase in population and the price index, the improvement is marked. More gasoline was sold last year than in the year before. More households were supplied with electric current, and the quantity used was larger, than in 1930.

These are fundamental indices. They can not obscure the fact that hundreds of thousands are unemployed, or the fact that in some way the industrial structure must be altered to absorb them. Probably statistics are small solace to one who feels the pinch of genuine want. A man confronted by poverty is not troubled as a rule with considerations of historical perspective.

But the fact remains that for the 42 million now employed and for their dependents—for those who are getting by, with fewer frills than formerly, but comfortably and with their normal needs attended to—living in the last generation has become measurably richer. In these dislocated times the plane of living is still above the pre-war standard.

There is misery among us, but there is much less absolute unhappiness than prevailed in the depressions of the '70s and the '90s. Elderly observers remark the lack of any pronounced social unrest in the last two years, the strikes, the riots and violence that spring from abject wretchedness. This is due to no improvement in our fortitude or national morale, but to the plain fact that we have learned at least a little about taking care of one another in times of stress.

That we are able to do this is itself a testimony to a higher and somewhat more civilized order of life. We are many miles from the ideal state; we shall continue to be until every American willing to work can find a means of livelihood; yet even in adversity we ought to recognize that the broad movement of American life has not ceased to be forward and upward.

Brains Not Beauty

Grievous though the wrongs of the squawkies they are not a thing accursed in everything. There is a little good in the worst of things and there seems to be a tendency to place the talkies in that class.

It is none other than the talking moving picture which has wrought the revolutionary, if not miraculous, change in Hollywood expressed in the following words of a filmland authority:

"Girls with exquisite Greek features are accepting small roles in pictures where the leading lady has an irregular assortment of features backed by a personality and an understanding of timing and rythm. These same girls—bit parts as we call them now—once were the queens of the motion picture industry."

The American cinema has outgrown the beautiful-but-dumb stage, and the great American cinema audience has met the change with a more discriminating appreciation. Looks alone will not carry a girl very far in the talkies.

Hollywood asks today not whether you would rather be rich or good-looking but whether you would rather be rich or clever. And the answer is that in Hollywood only the able gain riches.

The finest tribute the present decade has made to the motion picture industry is the dismissal of the thought, until recently universal and quite well founded, that any pretty girl could make good in the movies.

Migrating Industry

Emigration of manufacturing plants from the United States to Canada and other foreign countries has attained such serious proportions as to inspire a move in Congress to discover the causes and to remove them where possible. Congressman Canfield of Indiana, has asked for an investigation by the ways and means committee.

Congress has received the information (supposedly accurate) that within the last two years the number of American-owned plants in Canada has more than doubled and that there are now more than 1,000 such plants in the dominion. During the same perior American capital has built large factories in other foreign countries. All of these plants are turning out goods formerly made in the United States by American labor.

While the loss to the United States in wages, taxes and business is tremendous there is nothing that can be done about it. American manufacturers built factories in foreign countries in order to be in a position to meet foreign competition. Lower wages and freedom from import duties and embargoes are offered with foreign factory sites. When a foreign government, for the protection of native labor, bars all imports, as Spain did in the case of automobiles, the foreign manufacturer must either drop out of the market or build a branch factory in that country.

American tariffs once induced European manufacturers to build branch factories on American soil and the United States benefited. Now the shoe is on the other foot.

Uncommon Sense

By John Blake

DON'T MISTAKE CONCEIT FOR CONFIDENCE

It is not always the quiet, unassuming, unpretentious man who has all the ability in the neighborhood.

I have known a great many self-complacent men who knew their jobs and did them well.

But while bluster goes quite a distance sometimes, it is, nevertheless, what the boys at the race track call a "quarter horse."

If you have fallen into the habit of imagining you are a little brighter than the people around you, and that you can do better work and make a better impression, you'd better analyze yourself to see whether it is confidence or conceit that is behind your big talk.

One is easily mistaken for the other, and unfortunately the public is likely to take the conceited man at his own valuation.

But these are widely different attributes.

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The confident man knows what he can do, knows by past experience, and because he has worked hard to gain the knowledge that enables him to do it.

The conceited man merely thinks he could do something important if he had the chance, although he is not at all sure how to begin or what to do.

The conceited person is not always a blusterer.

Sometimes he has that quiet air of efficiency which misleads people to believe in him, and they discover too late that it isn't safe to take people on their own valuations.

Most well balanced persons will hesitate about undertaking a job with whoes duties they are unfamiliar, but not so the man whose vanity leads him to be a firm believer in himself.

He will tackle anything, and very often his very confidence in himself carries him a long way.

But in the end his lack of preparation, or brains, or both, tell against him.

That such a man is a danger to himself is unimportant.

What matters is that often he is a danger to others, who mistake his bluster for ability, and repose in him trust which is wholly misplaced.

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If you are of the confident sort, analyze your character now and then and try to discover how firmly your faith in yourself is justified.

Conceit can be cured, though the cure is a tough job.

But it must be got rid of if you expect to do anything worth doing. You can take it up again after you have accomplished something big.

You can, I say, but you probably will not.

The man with real confidence is rarely conceited, and the man with conceit is not so confident inside as he pretends to be.

Inasmuch as the world is pretty well divided in these two qualities, it is wise to keep your eyes open, and learn to tell the difference between them.

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Laughs From Life

"EVER GRATEFUL FOR THE PRIZE"

Prizes are the order of the day. So many are distributed annually to poets that, from being the starvelings of literature, they are fast becoming its plutocrats. Artists are equally fortunate. Since the happy discovery that everybody can draw and paint, there is no stage of incompetence which does not meet with liberal encouragement and remuneration. Every twelve months brings a fresh crop of heroes and heroines to claim the Carnegie prize. Virtue, which once had only itself for reward, and which consequently went lean to its grave, is now fat with beneiactions. Good citizenship, once an ordinary obligation, is now in the nature of an exotic, publicly recognized, and ceremoniously recompensed.

This being the case, why not offer a few first-class prizes for deeds of difficulty and daring or for those supreme renunciations which will delight and benefit the world? The following suggestions are offered diffidently in the name of the patient public which tries not to ask the impossible.

Journalistic prize. To be awarded to any newspaper, daily or weekly, which suffers the 22nd of February to pass without a reference to the hatchet and cherry-tree incident. This prize should be a handsome one because of the superhuman restraint which is entailed. It is hoped, however, that the editor who practices such restraint, and see that the circulation of his paper has not visibly declined, may in following years repeat the experiment out of sheer hardihood and love of adventure.

Cartoonist prize. To be awarded to any humorous artist who ventures to draw a profiteer with a thin wife, or a ward politician without a cigar; and who succeeds in making these unlabeled types recognizable to the public.

Social service prize. To be awarded to any social worker who for six consecutive months has abstained from using the words "uplift" and "efficiency."

Cinema prize. To be awarded to any screen actress who for a calendar year permits her mouth to remain the shape which nature designed a human mouth to be, instead of painting it into that weird distortion known as "Cupid's bow." It is thought that the moving-picture public—among whom must be counted some intrepid realists—will contribute handsomely to this prize. Professors and students of anatomy may be glad to help.

Commercial prize. To be awarded to any department store which for a calendar year refrains from advertising "chic" garments for Milady's wear. This prize should be of value, for it is not known whether women in a world made safe for Democracy can be inured to the shock of democratic terms. But it is an experiment worth the trying.

—Agnes Repplier.

FAIRY STORY

"It's true that I've been here seven hours," said the plumber, "but I only worked thirty-five minutes of the time, and that's all I can possibly charge for."

Prue: Do you think this dress is cut too low?
Sue: How much was it?

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A decade is that period between censuses in which the average settled girl ages three years.

The Senate reminds us of the way some people board elevators or negotiate revolving doors.

Is he the greatest secretary of the treasury since Hamilton because of the greatest deficit?

A grass widow's hope chest is her safety deposit box for storing alimony.

The high cost of overhead is hitting the skyscrapers in New York. Naturally.

About Seventy Years Ago

By J. Herblock

They Call It Politics

By Carter Field

WASHINGTON.—President Hoover will veto a Philippine independence bill even if it should—as seems most likely at the moment—pass both Houses of Congress. The president actually agrees with most of the advocates of independence. He agrees, for example, that the economic advantages of the islands to this country are nill. He agrees that from a military standpoint they are a liability. And he further agrees that the Filipinos want their independence.

But in spite of all that the president does not believe that the United States, having assumed the white man's burden in the Philippines, has the moral right to lay it down. He positively does not believe that the islanders are fitted for self government. Nor that they will be for many years to come. Hence he fears tragedy would stalk in the wake of independence.

Hence the excitement of Secretary of War Hurley in testifying before a Senate Committee, debating with Senator Hawes, of Missouri, who, like Hurley had visited the islands during the recess of Congress.

For Mr. Hoover, on the Philippine question like many others, is very anxious to avoid having to use the veto to accomplish his purpose. He would like Congress to pigeonhole or sidetrack the bill, if it is not beaten outright, so as to save him the embarrassment of vetoing it.

The President could probably accomplish this purpose without half the trouble if he would call in the administration leaders of the two houses and make his position clear. But to do that he would have to take the responsibility, for it would be next to impossible for him to outline his position to a sufficiently large group of leaders without that fact creeping into the newspapers.

If this should happen there is a small but very influential group of Republicans who would be deeply offended. This includes some very prominent newspaper editors, some of whom are not in sympathy with the president on the wet and dry question anyhow.

So the president infinitely prefers that Congress should smother the independence proposal for the Philippines without his having to intervene. But the economic pressure has been growing and growing behind Philippine independence. It includes all the beet sugar growers, and the cane growers. It includes many of the powerful dairy interests, who regard cocoanut oil and copra as competitive. They would like to see the islands given their independence so that a tariff wall would protect them.

In this group must be included also those who have money invested in Cuba, where a billion and a half of American dollars are yielding no return, largely because of the glut in the sugar market caused in part by huge increases of sugar production in the Philippines and Porto Rico. Nor should the Hawaiians be overlooked, though they control no votes directly, they usually managed to be rather potent when their interests are affected.

Maybe all these selfish interests would not get anywhere were it not for the determination of the island leaders to be free. They have made some powerful converts to their cause since the last session of Congress. Senator Harry B. Hawes after a tour of the islands has written a book, the chief feature of which is his contention that after a diligent search up and down the islands, talking to all kinds of persons, he met no Filipino who did not want independence.

He attacked vigorously the "whispering" campaign which would have Americans believe that the cries of the leaders for independence are all local politics. The islanders, he says, really want independence. Only the small American contingent with business interests there would prefer for the American flag to be kept flying over the Philippines.

As to when they shall be fitted for it, who, Hawes demands, shall determine that?

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HOW'S your HEALTH

Edited by Dr. Iago Galdston for the New York Academy of Medicine

IRREGULAR TEETH

In order that the mouth may be most efficient as an organ it is essential not only that the teeth be sound and free from decay, but also that the teeth be spaced properly and in correct relationship.

This state of perfection is unfortunately but rarely seen. A truly perfect mouth is indeed a rare prize.

Precisely what causes irregularity in the position and relation of the teeth still remains largely unknown.

Heredity determines the shape and spaciousness of the upper and lower jaws, as well as the size of the teeth, and thus sets both the limits of the space available and what is to be gotten into that space. Frequently the two do not correspond.

A good diet, that is, one containing a sufficiency of vitamins and mineral salts, as well as an adequate and balanced supply of proteins, fats and starches, will go far toward insuring proper development of the body and the teeth.

Adequate care of the temporary or milk teeth is another factor which affects the position of the permanent teeth.

Neglect of the temporary teeth, under the impression that they are not worth being treated since they are to be shed, may cause their premature loss and a disturbance in the space relationship of any teeth that remain.

If a temporary tooth must be extracted, a retainer should be placed in the resulting empty space to keep the other teeth from moving out of place.

The child whose temporary teeth are irregular should be taken to the dentist for examination and treatment.

This precaution and what may be justly called prophylactic treatment will repay in trouble and money saved many times the initial investment.

A mouthful of irregular teeth not only means an invitation to decay or pyorrhea, but also a misshapen face and speech impediments.

MULE CROSSES SUIT

STOCKTON, Calif.—A mule on the Stanislaus River bridge at 3 o'clock in the morning is the cause of a $25,000 damage suit filed here. It is alleged by the plaintiffs, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Pacheco, that as Mrs. Pacheco drove the family automobile across the bridge the mule loomed out of the darkness directly in the path of the oncoming car. In the collision, the car was catapulted off the bridge and into the river. The mule belongs to a dairy company.

Confucius lived to be about 72 years old—from 550 to 478 B. C.

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

By J. P. Alley

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News From Hollywood

By Robbin Coons

HOLLYWOOD.—Stories like the one about Bette Davis do happen in Hollywood, but not often.

At 6 o'clock one evening she answered her telephone to be informed that the studio where she'd been under contract a year wouldn't need her any longer. That night she began packing to return to New York, willing to pocket her pride and admit a Hollywood failure rather than hang around looking for movie jobs.

At 9 o'clock the next morning a telephone call from another studio summoned her for an interview.

It so happened that just as Bette was writing finis to her screen career a friend of hers was telling George Arliss, who had never seen her work, that Bette Davis was the girl he needed as his youthful fiancee in "The Man Who Played God," a role they had been trying to cast for weeks. So Bette was summoned and tested and found not wanting.

Gets New Contract

She played the part—and it was a difficult assignment—then another in "So Big" and now is with Ruth Chatterton in "The Rich Are Always With Us," holding a term contract which will keep her at Warner Bros. for some time to come.

She is being acclaimed as a future star—but if Arliss hadn't happened to discuss his leading lady troubles with Bette's friend that night Bette today would be back on Broadway explaining to her friends, perhaps, exactly why she didn't like Hollywood.

She Likes Movies Now

A pretty blonde whose disarmingly ingenuish appearance conceals sophisticated humor, amusing drollery and much solid common sense, Bette really didn't like Hollywood for many months after her arrival as a Universal contract player.

"I didn't care to come here in the first place," she says, "but anybody from the stage who gets a chance at the movies, things being as they are, is a fool not to take it. And I like it now.

"Waiting, absolutely idle, for assignments used to drive me mad. Every stage player comes out here expecting to be put to work immediately—we soon find out, and I waited weeks like the rest of us. And got off finally to a bad start in 'Bad Sister'—I was that type from then on."

15 Years Ago

Feb. 15, 1917.

Mr. Reynolds McWilliams left today for Starksville, Miss., on a brief visit.

Mr. Richard Nugent left yesterday on a business trip to Rosedale and other Mississippi points.

Mrs. Charles Womack of Eros, is visiting her sisters, Mesdames Haynes and Everett of the West Side.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Taylor and guest, Mrs. James Whitney Hall, left today on a brief visit to Lake Charles.

Mrs. Faulkner Heard of the West Side, arrived home Friday from an extended visit to Memphis and Little Rock.

Mrs. Ray Benoit of Shreveport, who has been a guest at the home of Mrs. R. C. Sparks, returned home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Poinboeuf of Mansfield, after a visit to Mrs. Poinboeuf's parents, Dr. and Mrs. T. L. Hood, have returned home.

Mesdames W. F. Cummings and A. L. Harrington will entertain Saturday afternoon at bridge, complimentary to Mrs. C. E. Ryan of Chicago, Mrs. Arthur Dreyburg of Chicago, and Mrs. P. S. McClug of Phillips, Wis.

HIS MISTAKE

MIAMI, Fla.—Police arrested Mitchell Solitaire, 50, for vagrancy. After they took him to jail, however, he was freed. He walked out of jail, but reappeared in a short time to claim an automobile. But he didn't walk out so soon again. During the interval police had learned he was wanted in New York to face charges of embezzling $3800.

Today's Radio Program

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 15 (Central Standard Time)

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(By The Associated Press)

454.3—WEAF-NBC—660

5:00—LumberJacks—Also wwj wenr
5:15—Lanin Orch. — Also wtam wwj wenr wow wdaf woc who
6:30—Alice Joy—Also wtam wwj wdaf wlba wtmj webc wday kfyr woai wky
6:45—Goldbergs — Also wtam wwj wenr; Stebbins Boys — Only kyw woc who wow wdaf wtmj kstp whas kprc wsm wmc wsb wsmb wfaa wky koa (15m.)
7:30 — Lawrence Tibbett — Also wtam wwj wmaq ksd woc who wow wdaf whas wsm wmc wsb wsmb wjdx kths kvoo wfaa kprc woai wky
8:00—Gypsies—Also wtam wwj wmaq ksd woc who wow wdaf
8:30—Parade of States — Also wtam wwj wenr ksd woc who wow wdaf wtmj kstp kfyr whas wsm wmc wsb wfaa kprc woai wky koa ksl
9:00—Radio Forum — Also wtam wwj wenr ksd woc who wtmj wiba kstp webc wday kfyr whas wsm wmc kprc wsb wsmb wjdx wbap wky ksl kgir kghl
9:30—Mr. Bones and Company — Also wwj wenr woc who wfla
10:00—Brand Wynne Orch.—Also wtam ksd
10:15—Alice Joy (Repeat)—Only wenr ksd woc who wow whas wsm wmc wsb wapi wsmb wjdx kths wbap kprc koa ksl kgir kghl
10:30—Jesse Crawford—Also wwj wcky ksd wsm; Lawrence Tibbett (Repeat)—Only wtmj wiba webc wday kfyr koa ksl kgir kghl
10:45—Blue Rhythm Band—Also wtam wwj wcky wmaq ksd wow
11:00—Hines Orch. — Also ksd kfyr koa wsm wsb wapi wky
11:30—Moore's Orch. — Also ksd woc who wow wtmj wsm wsb wky

348.6—WABC-CBS—860

6:15—Bing Crosby — Also wdae wxyz kths kgrs waco wrr wcsc
6:30—Boswell Sisters—Also wxyz wbbm kmox kmbc; Four Clubmen—Only wgst wfiw wlac wnox wbrc wodx kdyl; Rhythm Aires—Only wlac kscj wnax kfh kfjf ktsa waco kvor
6:45—Morton Downey—Also wgst wxyz wlap wdod wrec wlac wnox wbrc wdsu wisn wfbm wmbd wcco kscj wmt kmox kmbc klra wnax wibw kfh kfjf krld ktrh ktsa waco
7:00—The Club—Also wxyz wbcm wdsu wisn wfbm wgn wcco kmox kmbc; Florito's Orch.—Only wlac kscj wnax wibw kfh kfjf krld ktsa waco kvor kdyl
7:15—Singin' Sam — Also wxyz wflm wgn wcco kmox kmbc; Lombardo Orch. —Only wgst wfiw wrec wlac wnox wbrc wodx wdsu
7:30—Kate Smith — Also wxyz wbcm wlap wisn wfbm wgn wcco kmox kmbc; Ozie and George—Only kscj wnax kfh kfjf kvor kdyl klz
7:45—Gloom Chasers—Also wxyz wowo kmbc kmox klz wcco; Ambassadors—Only wgst wlap wflw wrec wlac wnox wbrc wodx wdsu
8:00—Mills Brothers—Also wxyz wowo wgn kmox kmbc; Arabesque — Only wgst wflw wrec wlac wnox wbrc wodx wdsu; Swiss Yodelers—Only kscj wnax wibw kfjf kvor kdyl klz
8:15—Broadcast Rehearsals—Also wxyz wowo wgn kmox wrr
8:30—Smolen's Orch.—Also wxyz wowo wgn wmt kmox kmbc
9:00 — Lombardo Orch. — Also wxyz wowo wfbm wbbm wcco kmox kmbc kfjf krld ktrh kdyl klz; Columbians—Only wgst wflw wrec wlac wnox wbrc wdsu kvor
9:30—Shilkret Orch.—Also wgst wxyz wbcm wlap wflw wdod wrec wlac wnox wbrc wdsu wisn wkbh wowo wfbm wbbm wcco kscj wmt kmox kmbc klra wnax wibw kfjf ktrh ktsa waco kvor kdyl klz wrr
9:45—Myrt and Marge—Only wxyz wlap wbbm wcco kmbc kmj kdyl klz; Street Singer — Only wgst wflw wrec wlac wnox wbrc wdsu
10:00 — Bing Crosby (Repeat) — Only wgst wbcm wlap wdod wrec wlac wnox wbrc wdsu wisn wowo wfbm wgn wcco kscj wmt kmox kmbc klra wnax wibw kfh kfjf ktrh ktsa kdyl klz
10:15—Barlow Symphony — Also wgst wxyz wbcm wspd wlap wflw wrec wlac wnox wbrc wdsu wisn wowo wmbd wcco kscj wmt kmbc wnax wibw kfh kfjf ktsa waco kvor kdyl klz
10:30—Madriguera's Orch.—Also wgst wflw wrec wlac wnox wbrc wdsu; Morton Downey (Repeat)—Only wowo wgn kdyl klz
10:45—Madriguera's Orch.—Also wgst wxyz wbcm wlap wflw wrec wlac wnox wbrc wdsu wisn wgl wfbm wmbd kscj wmt kmbc wnax wibw kfh kfjf waco kvor kdyl klz
11:00—Ben Bernie—Also wlap wisn wgl wfbm wmbd wcco kscj wmt kmox kmbc wnax wibw kfjf waco kvor kdyl klz
11:30—Sissle Orch. — Also wspd wlap wisn wgl wfbm wmbd wcco kscj wmt kmbc wnax wibw kvor kdyl klz

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6:15—Jesters—Also wcky wren
6:30—Serenade—Also wenr wren koil
6:45—Arden's Orch.—Also wcky wmaq wren kwk koil
7:00—Eastman Orch. — Also wjr wcky kwk wren koil wiba kstp wday whas wsm wmc wsb wfaa kprc wls wtmj
7:30—Death Valley Days — Also wcky wls kwk wren koil kstp webc kfyr wiba koa ksl
8:00—Orch. & Quartet—Also wjr wls kwk wren kstp webc wday k r wsm wmc kvoo wfaa kprc woai wky koa ksl
8:30—Story of Women's Names—Also wjr wlw kyw kwk wren koil
8:45—Piccadilly Circus—wjz chain
9:00—With Canada's Mounted — Also wjr wlw wmaq kwk wren koil
9:30—Archer Gibson Ensemble — Also wjr wenr koil kfyr wsb wsmb wcky
10:00—Amos 'n' Andy — Only wmaq wenr wdaf kwk wren koil wtmj wiba kstp webc whas wsm wmc wsb wsmb wjdx kths wbap kprc woai wky koa ksl (15m.)
10:30—Pedro's Orch. — Also wjr wenr koil wren kprc
11:00—Piano Moods—Also wenr wren koil
11:15—Van Steeden Orch. — Also wjr wenr

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5:00—Audiovision (15m.)

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LAME-DUCK AMENDMENT

(Editorial from St. Louis Globe-Democrat)

Speaker Garner says that the obstructions that for years have prevented the passage of the so-called "lame-duck" amendment will disappear this year. Smothering in the subterranean committee rooms of the House wing has been the fate of most past bills of similar effect, but it has been believed that it would command a majority if given a fair chance on the floor. The bill of this session has already passed the Senate.

The benefits of the proposed change have often been inventoried. It would make a new presidential and congressional calendar. An administration in all branches would assume responsibility in two months after its election, instead of about thirteen months, as at present. Congressmen, with their defeat in the prior November made certain, would not have from December 1 to March 4 to intrigue and trade votes for the appointive jobs that are so often the refuge of "lame-duck" statesmanship.

It may be that too much is expected from the bill. There will always be "lame-duck" congressmen with sharpened ingenuity in providing for their own future, whatever the schedule on which the higher Washington officialdom operates, but to other reasons for enacting the measure an important and compelling one has been added. Because of the long delay on the bill and the maneuvering even to prevent its issue from being squarely met, an unfortunate impression has been created.

That the benefits to congressmen themselves from continuing the present calendar are much greater than they really are has come to be widely believed. Members of Congress are put in the unpleasant light of using their own prerogatives to retain privileges the public does not want them to have.

The Constitution does not prescribe a schedule of sessions. In fact, a clause specifically empowers Congress to fix a meeting day. As, however, presidential terms are fixed at four years and senatorial terms at six years, and no longer, and as the date for first assuming office was March 4, 1779, therefore an amendment is required to make the change.

The public has a right to pronounce on a change for which a considerable body of sentiment exists and there seems to be such considerable body in the case of this bill. If backed by two-thirds of each house of Congress, the measure will then go to the states, when we shall see the strength of its popular support.

Borrowed Epigrams

We spend billions for harbors so ships can get in, then pass stupid laws to keep them out. This is done by a bunch of ignorant, cheap, selfish, economic morons, the interests who pay Congress to pass the laws!—Clarence Darrow, attorney.

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China today is the greatest example of so-called unpreparedness.—David S. Ingalls, assistant secretary of the navy.

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We have no territorial or political ambitions in Shanghai.—Foreign Minister Yoshizawa of Japan.

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Ninety per cent of whisky prescriptions issued by doctors are for beverage and not medicinal purposes.—Dr. Arthur D. Bevan, ex-president of the American Medical Association.

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Nobody is going to read all that unemployment stuff, either here in Congress, or at home.—Congressman W. F. Stevenson of South Carolina.

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My own belief is that if the cosmic process is doomed to pass out of existence there will be, and probably are already, other world orders of which we know nothing.—Dean William Inge of St. Paul's, London.

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If Britain can only rule India by the sword, we should come away.—George Lansbury, of the British House of Commons.

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The best thing they ever took me to see on my lecture tours was the stuffed elephant, Jumbo, at Tufts College.—Channing Pollock, author and playwright.

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Japan demands that other nations respect existing treaties.—Premier Inukai of Japan.

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I cannot imagine any form of despotism more objectionable than an international police force.—Senator William E. Borah of Idaho.

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We of the English-speaking lands will travel more prosperously and travel further if we tread the path together.—Winston Churchill, British statesman.

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We must keep on fighting, even though we know we must lose eventually.—T. V. Soong, Chinese minister of finance.

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I am not alarmed by all this noise. I have no idea of leaving.—Countess Edda Ciano, daughter of Mussolini, now in Shanghai.

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I wouldn't marry the Queen of Sheba.—Joe Cook, stage and screen actor.

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NEWS OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Items of news and announcements for this column should be telephoned to the society editor, 292 and 1404, after three p. m., or brought to the office of The Monroe News-Star between the hours of 7:30 a. m. and 3 p. m.

COMPENSATION

When one attains some longed-for goal,
The happiness that fills the soul
Repays each weary, burdened day,
Each effort made along the way.

So, too, when life's short span is done,
When final happiness is won,
Heaven's joys will more than compensate
The weariest toiler at the gate.
—Katherine Edelman.

We were attracted recently by an article which attributed a life of harmony to "right thinking." Wrong thinking brings about irritations which cause so much discord and unhappiness. The article in question spoke of a motor oil advertisement in which it was stated that the oil was a "safe and positive lubricant." The appeal was striking; for what motorist is not desirous of using a lubricant which is both safe and positive? If one hopes to enjoy the pleasures of a smooth-running motor, it is obviously necessary that he use a lubricant that will assure freedom from friction.

Freedom from friction! What individual has not wished at some time for something which would insure freedom from friction—for a lubricant which would be safe and positive? We all do know positively that we experience a much higher degree of harmony and happiness when by sincere efforts we put into our daily life "consecration; charity; gentleness; prayer; heavenly inspiration," thus being anointed "with the oil of gladness." This oil of gladness referred to by the Psalmist, as "Therefore God, thy God, hath anointed thee with the oil of gladness above thy fellows."

Mrs. Emmanuel Levy of Denver, Colo., and Mrs. Janette Levy of New Orleans, will arrive tomorrow to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Frankel.

This week will feature unusual activity in P. T. A. circles with appropriate ceremonial observances of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers which occurs February 17.

The idea of a national organization for parents and teachers out of which the present congress grew, originated with Mrs. Theodore W. Birney at a kindergarten meeting in Chautauqua, N. Y., in 1895. Mrs. Birney enlisted the aid of the wealthy and philanthropic Mrs. Phoebe A. Hearst, a friend and patron of kindergartens and the organization came into being in 1897 with Mrs. Birney as president and Mrs. Hearst as vice president.

These two founders who dared to suggest, in the face of a scornful nation, that women needed to meet to study the art of motherhood, and the intrepid leaders who came after them are being honored with candle-lighting ceremonies all over the nation this month. A birthday chairman has been appointed in every individual association to see that appropriate ceremonies are held.

While parent-teacher groups are celebrating the founding of their organization, patriotic societies are observing the birthdays of national heroes. Confederate organizations are honoring George Washington in the bi-centennial celebrations.

The fifty-seventh anniversary of the founding of George Peabody College for Teachers—the largest teacher-training institution in the South—will be celebrated with a Founder's Day program February 18 with Dr. Edwin Mims, professor of English at Vanderbilt University, as the principal speaker.

In addition to being the birthday of George Peabody, who devoted millions to Southern education, the date also marks the fifty-eighth birthday anniversary of Dr. Bruce R. Payne, president of Peabody.

As a climax to the campus activities planned in celebration of the day Dr. Payne will talke to the 50,000 Peabody alumni scattered throughout the nation over Station WSM at 6 p. m. (Central Standard Time). Other parts of the radio program will include a special greeting to all the Ph. D alumni of the college, a message from H. F. Srygley, president of the Peabody Alumni Association, and music by the Ensemble Singers under the direction of D. R. Gebhart.

Preceding the address of Dr. Mims at 11 a. m. in the social-religious auditorium, the annual meeting of the board of trustees will be held. Ratification of the recent alumni election of Dr. H. L. Donovan, president of Western Kentucky Teachers College, as trustee will be made at this time. Dr. Donovan will succeed Dr. T. H. Napier, dean of Alabama Woman's College, who was elected by the alumni two years ago.

The Lo Kno Pla Music Club met Saturday afternoon in the studio of Mrs. T. B. Moore. After the business was discussed, the following program of music by Edward MacDowell was enjoyed:

Piano solo: "The Witch's Dance"—Emily Curry.

Piano solo: "To a Wild Rose"—Willine Boxley.

"The Life of MacDowell"—Maxine Stafford.

Piano solo: "Alla Taxantella"—Lela Mae Nelson.

After the meeting was adjourned delicious refreshments were served to the members.

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Coming Events

Tuesday

Formal opening of the Junior College. Presentation of one act play, "Jerry" in the auditorium at 8 o'clock. Reception following. The public is cordially invited.

Circle meetings of the Baptist W. M. U. as follows:

1. Mrs S. L. Webb, 2000 Riverside Drive.
2. Mrs. J. B. Swanson, 1108 North Sixth.
3. Mrs. J. C. Montgomery, 107 South First, W. Monroe.
4. Mrs. M. Mickel, 809 North 4th.
5. Mrs. J. D. Green, 117 Ark. Ave.
6. Mrs. E. W. Earl, DeSiard Road.
7. Mrs. S. W. Tucker, 317 6th St.
8. Mrs. O. T. Adams, 708 St. John St.
9. Mrs. Rowe, Ouachita Ave.
10. Mrs. Haner, 2006 Jackson.
11. Mrs. D. P. Grant, 2707 Hawes St.
12. Mrs. J. A. Petty, 3105 Lee Ave.
13. Mrs. J. B. Evans, 1200 South 3rd.
14. Mrs. C. W. Perkins, South Grand.
15. Mrs. Liriquist, Cole Addition.

Regular program meeting of the Methodist Missionary Society at the church with Circle Two in charge, 3 p. m.

Meeting of Young Woman's Methodist Auxiliary with Mrs. C. V. McGimsey, Fairview, 3 p. m.

First Christian Church circles will meet at 2:30 as follows:

Circle 1 will meet with Mrs. H. H. Douglas, 400 Pine Street.

Circle 2 will meet with Mrs. Belle Barlow, 508 Bres Avenue.

Circle 3 will meet with Mrs. Harry Newhall, 1007 North Fifth.

Benefit bridge at the Business and Professional Women's clubhouse on Jackson Street. Mrs. Jennie Thornton hostess. 8 p.m. The public is invited.

Presbyterian Auxiliary foreign mission program 3 p.m. Mrs. S. L. Digby leader. Circle 6 hostess.

Wednesday

Luncheon at the Lotus Club for members of the Auxiliary to the Ouachita Parish Medical Society, 12:30 o'clock. Those unable to attend are requested to ring Mrs. J. P. Brown not later than Monday.

Crosley P. T. A. Founders Day program, 3 p. m.

Friday

Meeting of the Musical Coterie with Mrs. M. B. Pearce, Mrs. Julius Kugler co-hostess. Annual business meeting, 3 p. m.

Presentation of "The Mikado" at the Neville High School auditorium. The public is invited, 8 p. m.

Thursday

Meeting of the Thompson Wood Lee Auxiliary, Spanish War Veterans, at veterans headquarters, 315 North Second Street, 2:30 p. m.

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Musical Comedy at Auditorium Friday Night Will Attract Long Line of Patrons and Patronesses

Of special interest to that great host of people who enjoy music for its charm of melody and mood is the announcement that on Friday, February the nineteenth, under the local management of Neville High School, "The Mikado" will be presented in the new auditorium in two performances, matinee and night by the Louisiana State University School of Music Opera Company.

This opera presented with the pomp and circumstances of grand opera and sung in English is the promise of a most enjoyable occasion. The music is unusually brilliant, accompanying in clear manner the situations wihch so constantly grace the plot. The music requires no deep understanding of structural technique, and the plot, familiar to most everyone, is of delightful character.

The public will welcome this opportunity to attend a performance of opera at which no premium is placed on musical sophistication, no foreign language keeps the listener guessing, but in which appreciation is secure through a general undertsanding.

Patrons and patronesses have been appointed by the Neville P.-T. A. as follows:

Mrs. Alice Meyer, Miss Lida St. C. Benton, Mayor and Mrs. Arnold Bernstein, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Breard, Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Swayze, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Neville, Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Terzia, Mr. and Mrs. Will Faulk, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cobb, Mr. Warren Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Horuff, Rev. and Mrs. E. F. Hayward, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hullum, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Doughtie, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Whitfield, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cummings, Rabbi and Mrs. F. K. Hirsch, Rev. and Mrs. Scott, Rev. Rickey, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Sanders, Judge and Mrs. Chas. Schulze, Rev. and Mrs. L. T. Hastings, Rev. and Mrs. L. A. Stulce, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Selig, Miss Mary Grace Lawn, Miss Mamie Ola Heard, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Henner, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Goza, Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Gilliland, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rasbury, Mrs. F. C. Levandais, Mr. Don Breitmoser, Mr. Leon Hammond, Miss Mae Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wamsley, Miss Florence Zeagler, Mrs. T. B. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Cooley, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Kugler, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Millsaps, Judge and Mrs. Percy Sandel, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bernhardt, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Bernhardt, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Arent, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Washburn, Mr. and Mrs. John Sholars, Mr. and Mrs. John Sherrouse, Dr. and Mrs. Bert Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Prophit, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Varino, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Coverdale, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. John Humblue, Rev. H. L. Driskell, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Fernandez, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Frizzell, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Leigh, Mr. and Mrs. David I. Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gunby, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harrington, Judge and Mrs. W. M. Harper, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Porter Burgess, Mr. and Ms. W. C. Feazel, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Land, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Hinkle, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Holden, Mr and Mrs. E. L. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Larcha, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Knowles, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Liner Mr. and Mrs. Graysom Guthrie, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. G. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Milner, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Moffett, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Bidenburg, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Biedenharn, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Biedenharn, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Noe, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Newhall, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Potts, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rodriquez, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Riggs, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Germany, Mrs. Jessie Sadler, Rev. N. F. Vandegaer, Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Walsworth, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Stevenson, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hayes, Mrs. Jennie Vinson, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hay, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Veach, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Weaks, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Washburn, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Colvert, Mr and Mrs. M. C. Delarot, Mr. and Mrs F. A. Allison, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bryant, Jr., Miss Carrie D. Drew, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Lamkin, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Layton, Mr. and Mrs. Neil McHenry Mr. and Mrs. Henry Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis G. Slater, Mr. and Mrs. D. Y. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thornhill, Dr. and Mrs. Irving Wolff, Miss Elizabeth McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Coon, Miss Louise Theus, Mr. ohn Theus, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin K. Theus, Mr. John B. Cann, Mrs. J. L. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Atkinson, Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Castles, Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Causey, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Gill, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Gill, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Heard, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Platt, Mr. and Mrs. Carey Zeagler, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Sholars, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sholars, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Abernathy, Mrs. Harry Taylor, Mr. Tom Newton, Mr. and Mrs. W. Ford Pipes, Mr. Francis Barringer, Mr. Wm. Bynum, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Kilpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Walker, Miss Eleanor Michie, Miss Mary Lee Sullivan, Dr. and Mrs. O. A. Hill, Miss Margaret McMichael, Mr. Isaac Lemle, Mr. Myrtle Rodgers, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Treadgold, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Oakley, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Breard, Mr. and Mrs. Fensky Terzia, Dr. E. G. Colvert, Miss Lilah Scogin, Mr. and Mrs. W. Lynton Ethridge, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Myatt, Mr. and Mrs. Parker McComb, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Vincent, Miss Katie Key, Miss Madie Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williamson and Miss Eve Bradford.

Meeting tonight of Louise McGuire Chapter O. E. S. at 7:30 p. m. All Eastern Star members are invited.

Mr. A. D. Bernhardt and Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Courtney motored to Grand Cane, La., yesterday and were accompanied home by Mrs. Bernhardt and son, Dilhman, who have been visiting Mrs. Bernhardt's parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Platt.

Talks to Parents

A GIRL WHO STARVED
By Alice Judson Peale

A girl of 18 was brought to the doctor. He diagnosed her illness as starvation. Inquiry revealed that she had eaten nothing to speak of for months.

The doctor knew that girls often go to foolish lengths to be slender, but he had never seen a case so extreme. The girl was weak and ill, literally unable to swallow more than a few mouthfuls of food in a day.

It was not long before the doctor discovered the motives that had reduced her to this condition.

Her 16 year old sister was unusually popular, pretty and slim. At parties she walked off with all the most desirable youths. At home she was father's darling and mother's pride.

The elder girl was left out in the cold. She tried desperately to compete. It seemed to her that if she could just be slim like that much too charming sister she would have a chance.

What she did not know was that she had starved herself also from other more complicated motives—unconsciously trying to make herself ill so that she might receive love and attention.

Perhaps, too, she wished to punish herself for deep lying jealousy and hate toward her favored sister.

The doctor decided that the best solution, after his patient had regained some measure of health, was to remove her from her too difficult situation.

She consented to go away to school, where, with the help of a new stimulating environment and the opportunity to gain some insight into the nature of her own feelings, she made a very satisfactory adjustment.

SUB ROSA

By VIRGINIA VANE

Healthy Row Better Than Eternal Sulks—Over-Conscientious Flapper

Dear Miss Vane: If there is one thing in the world I hate it's a scene, and yet I married a very argumentative man who insists on fighting at the slightest provocation. I keep peace by refusing to quarrel and I get pretty sick of it. Why can't he be grownup enough to help me keep peace? Why must I always be the one to smooth things over and say, "Yes dear." Tell me whether you think I am right or wrong.

JESSIE.

You're right to keep peace most of the time—but you're wrong not to have a good healthy row every so often just to keep the air cleared. If you go on giving into the lord and master with your eternal "yes dear" you'll bore him and you'll bottle up inside you enough hard feelings to keep a Hundred Years' War running nicely.

The minute you find that you're having a sulk all to yourself over the fact that you've given in steadily for a whole week, fly off the handle and give friend husband something to think about. He mustn't get used to having a little echo around the house. He can't be humored eternally.

So tell him the truth about your feelings every once in a while. Otherwise you simply erect mental barriers against him which will never be torn down. You'll begin to form a horrible picture of him in your mind, which will make you positively dislike the man himself as time goes on.

Furthermore you'll develop a martyr complex. You'll tell yourself sorrowfully that you're misunderstood—that but for you there would be no peace in the home—that nobody but a perfect brute could ignore your obvious virtues of patience and sweetness. You'll begin to convince yourself that you're almost too good-natured for any man to live with. And that attitude of course puts any marriage on the blink.

Don't go out of the way to make trouble, but on the other hand don't keep peace in the home at the cost of your peace of mind.

SINCERE BUT PUZZLED: Go right on with your friendship. You can't guard against the future too thoroughly you know. If you gave up all your beaux, because you were afraid that they would take you too seriously and fall in love with you—you'd very soon be so lonely that you'd clutch at the first offer of marriage that came along which would probably be the wrong one.

The boy in question knows perfectly well that he is running the risk of losing his heart—and perhaps to no purpose. He seems willing to take that risk. So long as you don't make foolish vows and false promises, you're playing the game fairly and you have nothing with which to reproach yourself.

Think Over Decision

DAILY READER: If you're really in love with your husband and you feel that his devotion to you is still existent, I'd wait a while longer before coming to any decision. This affair may have run its course before the next year is up. I know you have waited long and patiently and that things seem too black to be borne just now but other wives have had to wait and hope against hope—and often when there has been a real basis of devotion and love between husband and wife, complications have been cleared up and a reconciliation has been made possible.

Have a talk with the girl in the case. That can do no harm. It's quite possible as we've said before in this column—that she is not aware of just what she's doing to you. She has thought only of herself and of the thrilling romance in which she finds herself leading lady. Give her a chance to realize how serious the situation is, and how hopeless her position is from every point of view. You may thus be able to solve the problem yourself. In any event, don't give up the ship yet. Write to me again.

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Heart of a Wife -:- -:- By ADELE GARRISON

Unsuccessful in His Efforts to Get Information from the Chinese Prisoners, Lee Chow Prepares to Take Drastic Measures.

"I SUPPOSE I ought to go away," I said, when Lee Chow had left the room.

Katherine smiled at my reluctant tone, and I flushed at her knowledge of my curiosity—for I had no illusions about my own emotions. I was intensely eager to see the next scene of this melodrama into which we of the farmhouse had been plunged.

"I don't see why," she said practically. "If you're good enough to prepare the way for the big entrance, you're good enough to stand in the wings. They can't put me out, you know, for I shall have to watch my patient lest they tire him out, and I hereby appoint you assistant nurse.

The Identification

I smiled at her foolery, even as I stepped back against the wall obliterating myself as much as possible.

"At least Lee Chow didn't tell me to go away," I said hopefully.

"And depend upon it, he would not have hesitated to fire you out upon your ear, if he thought it best," she returned. "That gentleman has the hardest iron hand beneath the softest velvet glove I've ever seen. I'd hate to be in the shoes of those scarecrows in the kitchen when he gets after them."

"They're more terrifying than ever, now that they've covered both of them over with white sheets and bound their heads in white towels," I said. "Hugh evidently is afraid of some contagion."

"He may well be," she retorted a bit grimly, and again I felt that sense of something sinister, hidden. "I told him they must be every inch covered before they came into this room."

"He's obeyed your injunction to the letter," I told her, and then we heard a curious shuffling noise outside the door, and a knock. When she opened it, there came in a bizarre procession. The arms of the sheet-covered men were still bound tightly to their bodies, but their ankle bonds had been loosened sufficiently to permit them to walk with short hobbling steps.

Even thus hobbled, Hugh Grantland and Lee Chow were taking no chances of either captive making some superhuman effort to free himself. Both men were close beside the prisoners, as were Dicky, Harry and my father. The two operatives summoned by my father to go with Harry and Dicky to the rendezvous had been left outside with Jim, I knew, to make sure that there would be no attempt at rescue by countrymen of the prisoners.

Lillian came in last, shutting the door behind her. She came directly to us, speaking from the side of her mouth.

"I couldn't resist this chance for a box seat. Of course we can't understand a word they say, but the show ought to be distinctly worth while. We can move a little nearer."

Katherine and I moved forward with her until, without being at all in the way, we could see the face of the man on the bed, and those of the shackled men. Katherine drew in her breath sharply when her patient first saw the face of the man with the venomous eyes, evidently more dangerous in Lee Chow's estimation and that of Hugh Grantland, than the man who had threatened to murder me. For the wounded man on the bed shrank away beneath the bedclothing as if from a deadly blow, while his eyes showed the stark fear that had been in them whenever he referred to the men who had dealt such grievous wounds to him.

A Question Unanswered

But Lee Chow stepped forward and put his hand upon the sick man's shoulder, then extended the other sternly toward the man with the venomous eyes. His words were unintelligible to us, of course, but his gestures were as plain to us as the most pellucid English speech could have been.

"Do not be afraid!" those gestures said. "This man never can harm you again. Say whatever you wish."

There was something in Lee Chow's manner akin to that which one imagines mediaeval potentates possessed, that made me realize the truth of Hugh Grantland's assertion of years ago—"There is no better, more ancient blood in China than runs in the veins of Lee Chow." Possessed of a comprehensive education in English and other languages enabling him to take his place anywhere in Occidental society, he was every whit now a great man of his own people, an arbiter of justice, from whose mandate there was no appeal.

At that magic touch, fear rolled visibly from the man in the bed. He took his eyes from the venomous ones of the bound man, and turning them upon Lee Chow, spoke rapidly.

For the most of his recital, the other man kept quiet. Then, at something that frightened or angered them, they both broke into rapid speech in tones so packed with venom that I felt little chills run down my spine. But Lee Chow, turning upon them, held up his hand, said two or three syllables in a low, menacing tone, and there was no more sound from them. But there was murder, stark, threatening, in each pair of black eyes.

Lee Chow's Decision

When the man in the bed had finished, Lee Chow uttered something that evidently was like an accolade to the sick man, for his eyes were agleam with gratitude and adoration as they looked upon his master.

Then Lee Chow turned to the two bound men, and questioned them sharply, but though no one of us could understand their speech, it was very evident that he was demanding some revelation from them, demanding it over and over, and receiving each time a sullen negative. At last he straightened himself to his full height, and turned to Hugh.

"I'm sorry, but we shall have to try the other," he said. "I must not fail, now."

(Continued Tomorrow.)

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PRESS DISPATCH IN ANNOUNCEMENT OF FINANCE BOARD

An Associated Press dispatch received here announced the appointment of Travis Oliver, president of the Central Savings Bank and Trust Company, to membership on the Reconstruction Finance Corporation's New Orleans advisory committee.

Similar advisory committees are being appointed in every state of the Union. Leading bankers and business men named on the committees will cooperate with the corporation in making loans through state units.

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BOY CRAZY

by GRACE PERKINS

SYNOPSIS. Hope Ross' seventeenth year spins dizzily around her as she goes to Dickey Dale's prom at Harmouth, writes to Dickey, spends unusual evenings back stage in New York theatres where Dickey's father is a theatrical manager, and all the time falls deeper and deeper in love with Dickey. In all her popular high school days, Hope has never known so many happy times. She has been the most attractive girl in Westchester, but that fact pales beside the realization that she is going to marry Dickey. She even signs a pledge that she will marry him, at his laughing threat that he must make sure of her. The only flaw is her family's disapproval of Dickey, and of his father. Her father, usually indulgent, says that Dickey has "hardly a family for his little daughter to consider as a serious connection." Mrs. Ross is worried, and cold to Dickey.

Chapter 9

COLD-CUTS AT TEA

THEY made the usual gestures parents expect; Dickey murmuring the best and shiniest phrases, but Mama Ross seemed a bit too tight-lipped for anyone's peace of mind. So the two, a bit subdued, rushed out.

Always *out*, Hope thought a bit bitterly as she climbed into Dickey's car. . . . Always *out* with this particular boy. *Why?*

But she forgot such thoughts as the wind whipped her face, and Dickey headed for town, where they would "drop in on Hickey," he suggested, "and if they didn't like his party, they'd drop out again." But they *did* like it. There were so many celebrities there that thrilled Hope, and a man who asked her if she'd like a screen test. . . .

Such were the high spots of the maddest, gayest, most intoxicating winter.

Then came the crisis—out of a clear sky, as a crisis is so apt to come.

Valiantly ignoring the fact that no one wanted him but Hope, Dickey chugged up to the Ross veranda one Saturday afternoon in May—for a second consecutive week-end. And Mama Ross treated him very badly. Very badly indeed. And Goody was just plain *lousy!* After all, if your people are so fine that they consider others beneath them, they at least might *act* fine, mightn't they? But Mama Ross, despite her perfect poise and her flawless coiffure, just was plain *rude.* Was so rude that Dickey made a wisecrack that only brought a flush to Mama's cheeks and an I-thought-as-much-and-I-told-you-so look to her quick glance at Hope.

Hope dragged Dickey outside, and jawed him plenty about the wisecrack. Whereupon Dickey expressed a few opinions. And what can you do with people whose opinions are quite true and perfectly fair? Nothing, except act haughty and say "Well, just the same you needn't make matters worse——," and refuse to go in to town to see his father.

And what can you do when Mama calls you aside and tells you in words of one syllable that you must dismiss your guest, or else she personally will be obliged to forbid him the house? Whereupon she goes calmly upstairs, with Goody, freezing and haughty and disapproving, right after her.

For a moment Hope stood at the threshold of the library and weighed Mama and Dickey in the balance. And decided, strangely enough perhaps, on Dickey.

Regardless of his arguments, Hope remained adamant against going to town. Instead, she had a new idea. Her folks had suggested, more than once, with an insinuating insult in their tones, that she let Dickey mingle with her friends, in her own environment, and match him up for herself! So after considerable argument, they both went to dinner at the Country Club. For the Saturday night dance.

But Dickey was in an irritable mood. He had suffered severely from the cold-cuts which Mama Ross had handed him at tea-time. He told Hope what he thought of snobbiness and snobbery, and gave a long and bloodthirsty account of his own ancestors. They had fought Indians, those ancestors, and they had hacked trails through the west.

Frantically, Hope called several friends over to her table. But Dickey continued to recount his family tree. Hope's heart sank. Grew numb. Became spiteful. Angry.

She got up and danced with Rusty Crandall. After several dances with Rusty, she permitted the attentions of others. Dancing and flirting and laughing with Frisky and Don and Jed and Maaax. . . .

Her heart aching, and the tears like a hard ball in her throat because Dickey had disappeared. Wondering if Dickey had driven off to his father. Wondering if she would be facing the outrageous indignity of having no escort to see her home, and having to turn to Rusty (who stood understandingly—so beastly understandingly) ever at her side throughout the evening.

(Oh, Dickey dear, I love you! Laugh up into Frisky's face and say it's a funny line he's pulling. Dickey, I'm not snooty or snobby. I'm not. My people aren't any better than yours. . . . You just don't understand them. . . . Dickey, where are you?)

A firm grasp on her arm in the middle of a fox-trot answered her question. She stopped, gasping, to face Dickey. Dickey, quite white and very manly, with lowered eyebrows.

"Come on. This is about enough!" he commanded sharply.

(Oh, Dickey darling. Thank heaven—you're here! But I've got to manage you. I can't let you get away with this!)

"I'm sorry," she answered coolly. "I'm not going for ages yet. Aren't you having a good time?"

Dickey swerved a moment perilously as a couple banged into him.

From nowhere appeared Rusty. Taking Hope by the arm, and speaking in a cultured, restrained voice:

"Let's go, Hope. I think you'd better come with me. He's been drinking."

She flung off his arm furiously and stared at Dickey. The tears came to her eyes, and she batted them away with dignity.

Dickey had been drinking.

She turned to Rusty, eyes lowered.

"Very well, Rusty. I want to go home. I'm tired."

"I've already got your wraps for you," Rusty said quietly.

She mumbled thanks as he held them, and gathered her white chiffon velvet coat about her shoulders. Even took Rusty's arm as they went out the club steps and down the gravel-way to Rusty's superb coupe. But not a thought did she give the man at whose side she marched so obediently. (How could you, Dickey?)

A figure stepped before them. Two male voices snapped at her side. She stepped back quickly, and watched the two tuxedos, half covered with spring coats, as they went into a clinch!

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The victor—tomorrow—demands that Hope marry him at once.

CATERING MANAGER TO BE TITLE, NEW HOTEL STAFF MAN

The employment by Hotel Frances management of Harry von Feldern has caused much interest due to his past ability and the unusually important connections he has had in his line of business. His capacity with the local hotel will be that of catering manager rather than in charge of the culinary department as was stated in the World on Sunday.

The present chef will remain, being one of the best to be found anywhere, the management states.

EXPLORER REPORTS ON INSECTS THAT WILL HALT BORERS

BATON ROUGE, La., Feb. 15.—(AP)—Back from a three-year exploration trip in South America, H. A. Jaynes, of the United States Department of Agriculture entomological staff in Washington, has reported discovery of important additions to the parasites that prey on the moth-borer that destroys Louisiana sugar cane.

Mr. Jaynes says that in collecting parasites of the sugar cane borer in Argentine and Peru, several promising species were found suitable for introduction into the United States.

Large numbers of two of these have already been shipped to the New Orleans laboratory of the department of entomology, and liberated on plantations to show their usefulness in combatting the borer.

Of those two species there were imported 637,000 puparia of a fly known as the "Paratheresia claripalpis" and 63,000 wasps known as the "Ipcbracon rimac Wolcott."

The puparia were shipped to New Orleans by boat packed in moss. Boat shipment was too slow for the wasps, however, and airplanes had to be used.

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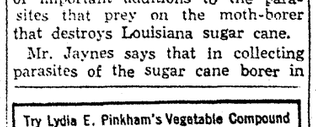

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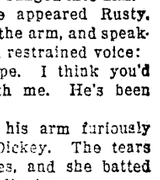

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NEWS-STAR SPORTS

LATE NEWS AND FEATURES OF ALL THE SPORTS

Kentucky Is Still Leading Way in Southern Basketball

Has Kept Slate Clean Thus Far This Season

Vanderbilt Is Only Opponent Till Tourney; Colonels Have Turned Back Commodores By Lopsided Score

ATLANTA, Feb. 15.—(AP)—Unless Vanderbilt, which has shown but one burst of strength all season, accomplishes the unexpected this week, Kentucky's Southern conference leading basketball quintet will enter the championship tournament here Feb. 26 with a perfect slate of ten victories.

Josh Cody's Nashville Commodores stand alone between Kentucky and an undefeated pre-tournament season. Saturday these teams meet at Lexington in Kentucky's finale. In their previous engagement Kentucky ran rings around the Tennesseeans to win 61-37.

Vanderbilt's single demonstration of power came in their upset victory over Alabama last week.

Maryland, the defending champion, also has a chance to complete its regular schedule without a blemish, but the old liners have a harder assignment than has Kentucky. This week they must turn back Washington and Lee, North Carolina and Duke, and the last two are capable of handing Maryland a surprise.

As the 23 teams romped into the home stretch today, Kentucky still was ahead with nine victories, while Maryland followed with seven. Alabama, Auburn, Virginia and Georgia were close behind. Alabama has 10 wins and two defeats. Auburn eight victories and two setbacks, Virginia and Georgia five decisions and two defeats.

Both Kentucky and Maryland proved their superiority in games last week. Kentucky downed the fast Alabama five 50-22 with apparent ease and beat Tennessee 41-27, while Maryland ran away from Virginia 46-18. In an earlier contest Virginia had lost to the College Park team by only five points.

In other games Duke downed North Carolina 24-18, Georgia Tech beat Auburn 36-28, North Carolina beat Virginia 26-24, Auburn beat Louisiana State twice, 48-34 and 34-30. Tennessee defeated Duke 32-31, Georgia won from Clemson 40-16 and split with Florida, winning 38-33 and losing 27-47.

Sewanee defeated Mississippi 34-31 but lost to Alabama 15-43 and to Mississippi State 22-25. Virginia Polytechnic defeated V. M. I. 25-18 and W. and L. 22-16, Louisiana State conquered Tulane twice 37-25 and 34-22, and South Carolina divided with Clemson, winning 24-22 and losing 31-22.

The week's schedule follows:

Monday—Auburn vs. Georgia at Auburn, Alabama vs. Mississippi at Oxford, and Maryland vs. W. and L. at College Park.

Tuesday—Alabama vs. Mississippi at Oxford and Duke vs. N. C. State at Raleigh.

Wednesday: Alabama vs. Mississippi State at Starkville, and Virginia vs. V. M. I. at Charlottesville.

Thursday—Duke vs. W. and L. at Durham and Florida vs. Georgia at Athens.

Friday—Duke vs. V. M. I. at Durham, Georgia vs. Florida at Athens, L. S. U. vs. Tulane at New Orleans, Maryland vs. North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Mississippi vs. Mississippi State at Starkville, North Carolina State vs. W. and L. at Raleigh, and Tennessee vs. Vanderbilt at Knoxville.

Saturday—Duke vs. Maryland at Durham, Florida vs. Georgia Tech in Atlanta; Kentucky vs. Vanderbilt in Lexington. L. S. U. vs. Tulane in New Orleans, Mississippi State vs. Mississippi at Starkville; North Carolina vs. W. and L. at Chapel Hill, North Carolina State vs. V. M. I. at Raleigh.

WOMEN BREAKS RECORDS

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla., Feb. 15.—(AP)—Katherine Rawls, youthful swimming star, clipped 43 2-5 seconds off the national women's 440 yard breast stroke here yesterday in an event sanctioned and timed by the A. A. U. The time was 6:49 2-5. Alice Novak of Miami Beach cut 19 seconds off the 700 yard free style event. Her time was 9:51 2-5.

CONTROVERSY YET RAGES AT PLACID

Bob Sled Course Is Bone of Contention; U. S. Representatives Contend It Is Too Slow For Excitement

LAKE PLACID, N. Y., Feb. 15.—(AP)—The third winter Olympics, officially closed Saturday, bid fair today to wind up in the same sort of bitter controversy that marked the days before their opening, with the Mt. Van Hoevenberg sled run again the bone of contention.

Disgusted with the condition of the run yesterday, when it was transformed under an official ruling from a slide fast enough to test the nerve and skill of the most darking to a sluggish descent that would hardly baffle a kid on a sleigh, seven teams of five nations indicated they would insist upon some changes today before racing the third and fourth heats of the postponed four-man bob sled races.

"We came down so slowly," said Paul Stevens, referring to the embarrassingly slow times turned in by the contestants yesterday, "that I had time to get off in Shady Corner and get a drink."

Shady is one of the most treacherous curves of the whole tortuous mile and one-half down the mountain side, and a good part of the crowd of 25,000 thrill-seekers at the run yesterday gathered there to watch the bobsmen take it.

Billy Fiske, defending the Olympic title he won for the United States at St. Moritz four years ago, made runs in 2:52 and 1:59:16, a whole lot slower than the two-man sled time of 1.57 set by Hubert Stevens last week, whereas the four-man teams should go down from 15 to 20 seconds faster.

The big crowd was wondering who started those stories about the thrills of bobsledding on the $200,000 chute, conceded the fastest and the best in the world, as they watched sleds plow through several inches of snow, cut through to the sand below at times, and slow down almost to the stopping point at others.

The American claim is that a well-handled four-man sled can make the run in 1:40 in perfect safety. But under the official ruling, the blinding speed of the course was taken out by discontinuing the icy base, and making it a snow course instead of a glassy one. Now it matches the much slower European runs.

NEWELLTON QUINTET WILL PLAY 3 GAMES

NEWELLTON, La., Feb. 15.—(Special)—Three home games are scheduled for this week by the Newellton Independent Blues. Last Tuesday the local five defeated the Natchez, Miss., Night Hawks by a score of 29 to 24.

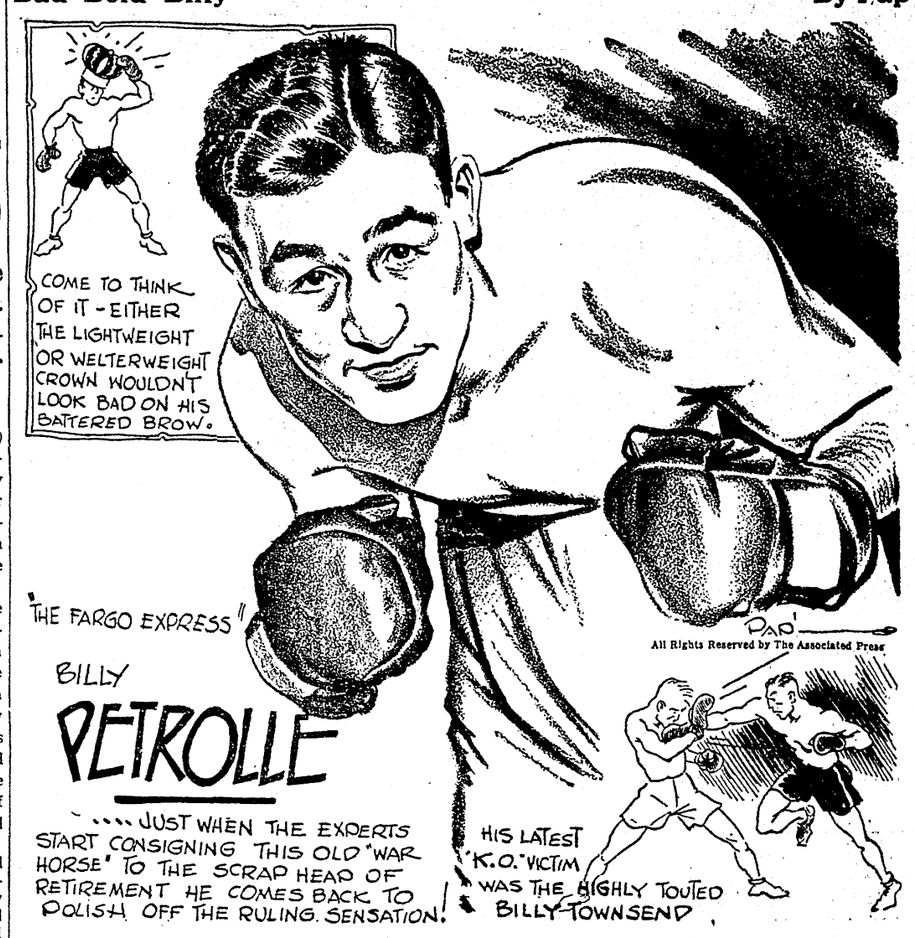
Tuesday night they meet the strong Baskin quintet, which has had a very successful season.

Thursday night they meet a newly organized independent team from Tallulah. These boys are under the leadership of Coach M. A. Phillips of the Tallulah High School and a well coached team is expected to take the field against the Blues.

The Blues will again meet the Natchez Night Hawks Friday night in what is expected to be the hardest game of the season. Natchez has several new players, who have not yet seen action against the Blues, and the Blues have lost the services of their captain and star guard, Ewell Roundtree, who left for Natchez Sunday to take over the management of a new office.

Newellton High School girls' basketball team defeated the fast Gilbert High School sextet Friday afternoon by a close score, Vera Eads and Frances Harvill accounted for most of Newellton's points. A trip prevented Willard Clark from participating in the game.

Bad Bold Billy —By Pap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DRASTIC CHANGES MADE IN FOOTBALL

Are to Check Tendency Toward Increasing Injuries On Gridiron; Alterations In Rules Number Six

HANOVER, N. H., Feb. 15.—(AP)—The national football rules committee announced six drastic modifications of the playing code today.

In an effort to check the "tendency toward increasing injuries" the committee decided:

1. To restrict the formation of the team receiving the kickoff by requiring that five players of the receiving team remain on their 45-yard line until the ball is kicked; and to allow the kickoff to be made either by place-kick, punt or drop-kick.

2. To forbid players on the defense to strike an opponent on the head, neck or face with hand, wrist, forearm or elbow.

3. To liberalize the substitutions rule to allow a player withdrawn from the game to re-enter once in any subsequent period.

4. To forbid use of the flying block or tackle.

5. To make the ball "dead" when any part of the ball carrier's body except his hands or feet touches the ground.

6. To amplify the rule regarding equipment so as to require padding of hard and unyielding substances with felt, foam rubber or other soft padding at least three-eighths of an inch thick.

These changes were termed by Chairman E. K. Hall the "most important, in making the game safer for the players, since the modifications of 1906 and 1907.

Although it had been found that the "so-called fatality list accredited to football was more than 50 per cent entirely misleading and inaccurate," Hall said, the committee had noted an increasing number of injuries, due, it was believed, to the "intensive development of the open game."

"The result," Hall explained, "has been to bring into the game certain practices or styles of play, most of them entirely legitimate and within the spirit of the rules, which are tending, in the opinion of the committee, to bring into the game certain new sources of hazard to the players."

It is to combat this tendency that the modifications have been adopted.

FANCY SHOT BATTLE IS IN SECOND ROUND

CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—(AP)—Charles Peterson of St. Louis, and Isdro Ribas of Spain, tonight will open the second round of their world championship fancy shot billiard battle.

The program calls for 100 shots, 34 tonight and tomorrow night, and 32 Wednesday night. Each player is permitted four tries at each specified shot, the victor being decided on a low score basis. Peterson gained a 13-point lead in the opening round at St. Louis.

Other legs of the tournament will be played in Washington, D. C., New York and Havana, Cuba.

Week-end Sports in Brief

(By Associated Press)

Winter Sports

LAKE PLACID, N. Y.—American teams finish one-two in first two heats of Olympic four-man bob sled championship.

PARIS.—Boston All-Stars beat France, 4-2, in final game of international amateur hockey tournament.

Track

BOSTON.—Spitz clears six feet, 8 1-2 inches for new indoor high jump record at Boston A. A. games; Sexton tossed 16 pound shot 51 feet, 11 1-8 inches for new mark. Wells equals record for 45-yard high hurdles.

Tennis

LOS ANGELES.—Stoeffen beats Vines, 6-4, 5-7, 6-2, 6-4, in finals of Los Angeles city championship.

Golf

NEW ORLEANS.—Sarazen wins Metairie Club's $5,000 open tourney with 290.

CORAL GABLES, Fla.—Gus Novotny beats Lee Chase, Sr., 3 and 2, in finals of St. Valentine invitation tournament.

General

NEW YORK.—New Bedford beats Hakoahs, 1-0, in second Eastern semi-final of national challenge cup soccer competition.

SWARTHMORE, Pa.—George Pfann signs to coach Swarthmore football for another year.

CHICAGO.—Jean Pijnenburg and Adolphe Vecle win six-day bike race.

NEW YORK.—Narcolleth Markable, pointer, wins grand prize of Westminster Kennel Club dog show.

HARTFORD, Conn.—United States squash racquets team beats Canada, 8-0.

S. I. A. A. QUINTETS ARE ON FINAL LAP

Championship Race Is Expected to Wax Fast and Furious During This Week; Murray Teachers In Lead

By Stanley L. Robinson
(Coach Mississippi College)
(Written for the Associated Press)

CLINTON, Miss., Feb. 15.—Competition within Southern Intercollegiate Athletic Association circles is expected to wax fast and furious during the coming week as the associational contenders start down the home stretch in their efforts to win places on the invitational list for the S. I. A. A. tournament to be held in Jackson, Miss., on March 2-3-4.

Murray State Teachers, present leaders of the association, see action only one time this week, and that in a game with Transylvania. Louisville has also established itself as one of the chief contenders in the fourth district and stands a good chance of improving its record this week in a home game with Transylvania and a clash with Western Kentucky Teachers at Bowling Green. Eastern Kentucky Teachers will have a good record at stake in a home game with Centre. Kentucky Wesleyan plays Georgetown and Transylvania, and Centre will also clash with Georgetown. Western Kentucky Teachers plays Middle Tennessee Teachers at Murfreesboro.

Charleston and Erskine, members of the first district, are idle this week, but Newberry has a good opportunity to improve its record in a home game with Wofford and a road game with Presbyterian. Wofford also plays Presbyterian, while Citadel has no games scheduled. Important games loom in the third district, with possibilities of some notable changes in standings. Millsaps will face rigid opposition in a two-game series with Southwestern in Memphis. Millsaps returns home to engage in that all-important two-game clash with a decidedly improved Mississippi College quintet. Besides the Millsaps games, Southwestern plays two home games with Union. Louisiana College has a good chance to further improve their record during the week, playing home games with Louisiana Tech and Louisiana Normal, and going on the road to play Southwestern Louisiana Institute. Centenary, champions of last year, are inactive this week and will maintain its record of three games won and one defeat.

Probably the outstanding clash in the second district this week is the Mercer-Chattanooga game, to be played at Chattanooga. Stetson has no games scheduled but there is a possibility of the Hatters playing some recently arranged associational games during the week.

SARAZEN TRIUMPHS IN ORLEANS MATCH

Leads Field In Metairie Club Tourney With Card of 290; Harry Cooper Finishes One Stroke Behind Gene

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 15.—(AP)—Gene Sarazen, the veteran Long Island campaigner, today had a crisp check for $1,000 and another tournament victory to hang at his belt after leading a stellar field over the multiple hazards of Metairie Golf Club in the $5,000 New Orleans open.

Gene put together four rounds of 69-76-73-72 for 290 which just shaded Harry Cooper of Chicago for first money.

Cooper finished second with 291 and collected $750.

Coming to the last green at dusk yesterday, he needed a four on the 500 yard par five to tie Sarazen, but his approach hopped into a back bunker and his careful chip from there missed the cup by 18 inches. His card showed 71-74-75-71.

The best round of the tournament was played yesterday by Denny Shute, Cleveland, who turned in a morning card of 67, five under par, to match the course record and tie Sarazen at the 54-hole turn. It was a real comeback after a first 36-hole total of 151 and added to his Sunday afternoon's 74 gave him 292 for third money $600.

Several cracked par on the final day under perfect playing conditions, but Denny's 67 proved the thrill, along with an ace scored on the 150-yard seventeenth by Ky Lafoon, Denver, who finished outside the money.

Johnny Dawson, Chicago, took off the amateur honors, with a 307, being trailed by three local stars, Jesse Rainwater and Jules Lazard with 320's and George Bush with a 324.

The other money winners.

Walter Hagen, Detroit, 153-75-69—297, $450.

Johnny Golden, Noroton, Conn., 148-77-72—297, $450.

Willie MacFarlane, New York, 152-74-72—298, $250.

Dick Metz, San Angelo, Texas, 154-74-70—298, $250.

Craig Wood, Deal, N. J., 158-69-72—299, $100.

Abe Espinosa, Chicago, 146-74-80—300, $100.

Johnny Camet, El Dorado, Ark., 145-78-78—301, $100.

Joe Kirkwood, Wilmington, Del., 154-75-73—302, $87.50.

Clarence Clark, Bloomfield, N. J., 150-80-72—302, $87.50.

Tony Penna, Pensacola, Fla., 147-79-77—303, $75.

Dave Hackney, Lowell, Mass., 148-77-80—305, $75.

Floyd Boone, Carsicana, Texas, 154-76-76—306, $75.

Tony Butler, Corpus Christi, Texas, 154-78-75—307, $50.

Bob Shave, Cleveland, 152-79-76—307, $50.

Jules Ackerbloom, Little Rock, Ark., 152-79-77—308, $50.

Ray Mangum, Dallas, Texas, 149-78-81—308, $50.

Paul Runyan, White Plains, N. Y., 157-75-78—310, $25.

Ralph Guldahl, St. Louis, 156-77-77—310, $25.

Fred Lamprecht, New Orleans, 143-79-78—310, $25.

Al Sargent, Toledo, Ohio, 151-80-79—310, $25.

Other scores:

Nelson Giddens, Tupelo, Miss., 158-78-84—320.

Hickman Greene, Baton Rouge, (amateur), 167-84-76—327.

S. D. Jackson, Shreveport (amateur), 160-93-87—340.

Benny Rizutter, Baton Rouge, 157—withdrew.

Jack Keefe, Vicksburg, Miss., 163-83—withdrew.

Today's Sports Parade

By Henry McLemore
United Press Staff Correspondent

LAKE PLACID, N. Y., Feb. 15.—If courage, persistance, fortitude and stamina displayed by Japan's athletes in the third Olympic games is typical of the Japanese race, then my advice to the Chinese boys is to get out of Shanghai.

For the Japanese, while they failed to land a man in the money in any event, gave magnificent exhibitions of those qualities named in the opening sentence of this essay.

If the Olympics provided an award for the most courageous competitor, certainly it would go to Yoichi Takata, recognized as the ace of the Japanese skiers because of his ability to travel a block without falling down more than twice. A month or so ago Yoichi worked his way by easy stages to the monstrous intervales ski jump, climbed his way to the top of the quarter of a mile high tower and took a seat.

While he rested, Norwegians who had been jumping since infancy, soared hither and yon with the grace of birds. Rested, Yoichi arose took his stance at the top of runway, and started down.

He reached the takeoff making 45 miles an hour only to have things go completely haywire.

His skis went one way, his arms and legs another. Two seconds later he landed squarely on his face on the wooded bleachers, bordering the landing slope hundreds of feet below. They took Yoichi to a hospital and kept him there until last Wednesday.

On Friday—two days after his release Yoichi appeared at the top of the jump to compete against the world's finest jumpers.

Once again he poised himself at the top of the runway and shot down the almost vertical chute. He landed flat on his back after a non-stop flight of 187 feet.

"Improvement I am showing very much. This time straight as an arrow I went" was his only comment as they headed him for the hospital.

His speed and figure skating and ski-running team mates, whipped before they started, never gave up, and they all are staying over for further lickings in the world championships here the latter part of this week.

DEMPSEY TO FIGHT IMPORTANT BATTLE

Meets King Levinsky In Chicago; King Is One of Best Youngsters and Promises to Give Ex-Champ Thump

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—(AP)—Jack Dempsey steps into the ring at the Chicago Stadium Thursday night for the most important battle of his long exhibition tour.

The former heavyweight champion has been playing around with unknowns in smaller towns of the Far West and Mid-West but on Thursday he will be called upon to meet one of the most dangerous of the younger heavyweights, King Levinsky of Chicago. Levinsky, a solid thumper when he connects, should give Dempsey a brisk workout in the four rounds the match is slated to go. Out of the match may come some indication of how far Dempsey can travel on the come-back trail.

Dempsey will start off the week at Flint, Mich., tonight, boxing two rounds each against Pat McLaughlin of Racine, Wis., and George Kohler of Chicago.

Other leading shows this week will be held in Philadelphia tonight, Daytona Beach Wednesday night, Los Angeles tomorrow night and New York Friday night.

At Philadelphia, Tony Canzoneri, lightweight champion, meets Lew Massey of Philadelphia in a ten round non-title engagement; at Daytona Beach, Maxie Rosenbloom, light heavyweight champion, takes on Bob Godwin of Atlanta in a ten rounder billed as for the title; at Los Angeles, Steve Hamas, promising young heavyweight from Passaic, N. J., will meet Armand Emanuel of San Francisco; Madison Square Garden's show Friday night is topped by a ten round middleweight struggle between Young Terry of Trenton, N. J., and Chick Devlin of Vancouver.

TECH CINDERPATH MEN START WORK

RUSTON, La., Feb. 15.—(Special)—Under the direction of Coach E. M. Shirley, the track team of Louisiana Tech has entered into training for the approaching cinder season. Many of the varsity and freshmen candidates have been practicing for the past several weeks on their own initiative.

The Tech tracksters have an unusual interesting home schedule for April during which time they will be host to four colleges for dual meets. Other meets for the Bulldog runners includes participation in the S. I. A. A. district and conference meets.

The first meet will bring Louisiana College here on April 2 with teams from varsity and freshmen ranks for a double dual meet with the Tech squad. This engagement between Tech and Louisiana College has been an annual event for several years with the result of each match generally a matter of few points.

Mississippi College varsity and the Bulldogs meet on the Tech track April 9. Normal's frosh and varsity journey here April 23 for the third date of the schedule. Last season in the first track affair between the Bulldogs and Demons the latter's varsity nosed out the Bulldogs while the Pups of Tech downed the Yearlings of Normal. Southwestern, both varsity and freshmen, visit the Techmen the 30th of April for the last tilt at home. The Tech varsity took the measure of their namesakes from Lafayette last spring for the first time.

Only six lettermen have reported to date but additions may be made after the basketball season is over. Captain Louis Pirkle, Willard Jones, Don Brown, Johnny Moffett, D. F. McLaurin and Berry Yeldell represent the "T" men of the candidates with Francis Mangham and Bob Baker the two now working on the hardwood.

The majority of the other varsity candidates are up from freshmen ranks of last season. The list includes Herman Humphreys, Rhodes Patterson, H. E. Townsend, O. L. McCleary, Billie Moore, A. M. Brown, E. L. Holmes, Paul Turner, H. Deloney, Jack Armstrong, Royce Johnson, Henry Poulan, C. W. Green, A. R. Kolb, C. R. Holstead, W. L. Campbell and Darrell Heard.

Freshmen members of the training camp includes P. Gautier, F. M. Gaar, T. Green, S. Adams, L. J. Blakewood, H. E. Lowery, B. F. Williams, O. M. Holmes, W. H. Alexander, T. H. Willis, J. T. Hudson, C. A. Howell and W. J. Avery.

CAMPBELL TO TRY FOR THREE MARKS

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla., Feb. 15.—(AP)—Sir Malcolm Campbell, British racing car driver, wants to establish new records for the mile, kilometer, five miles and five kilometers.

He decided to try runs for the four distances after a conference with his representatives, A. A. U. and city officials here yesterday. The driver plans a trial run as soon as the beach, roughened by unfavorable winds, smooths out.

Sir Malcolm towed his 1,500 horsepower Bluebird racer about the beach yesterday for cameramen but didn't start the motors. He said he hoped to find the beach improved enough for a test run after ebb tide this afternoon.

BASKETBALL RESULTS

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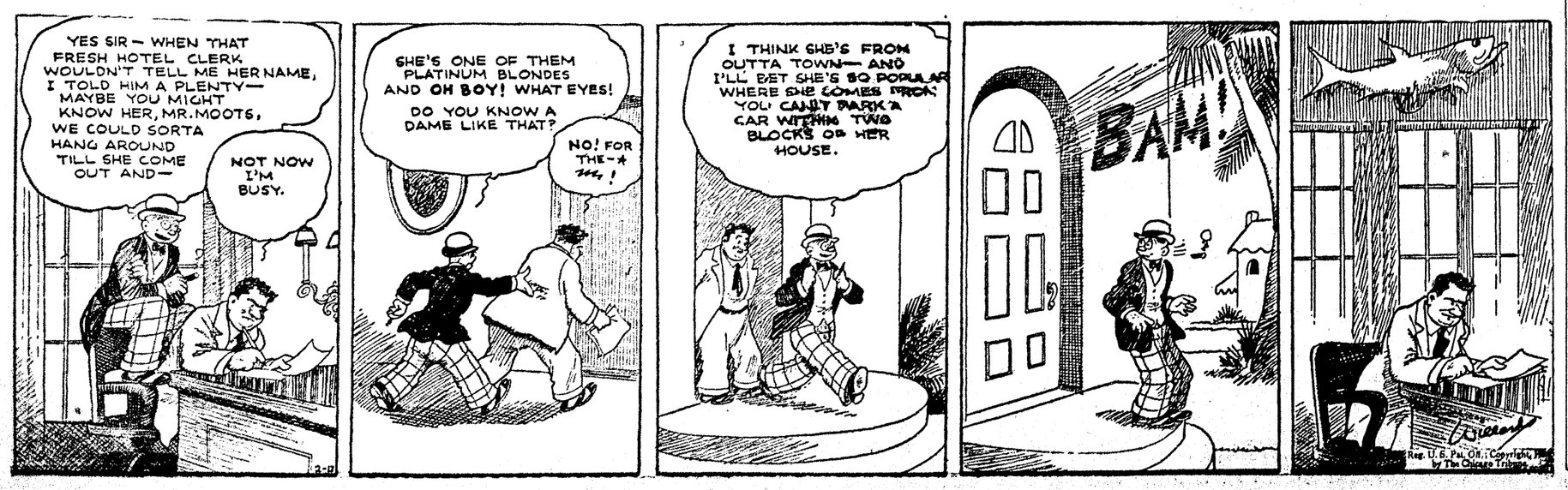
MIGHTY RUTH TURNS IN GOOD GOLF CARD

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., Feb. 15.—(AP)—Babe Ruth, who works magic with baseball bats, now can boast a little about his ability with golf clubs, too.

Yesterday he defeated "Woody" Weaver, golfing policeman, by turning in a 76 to the officer's 79. The game was played in the second flight of the Pasadena open amateur championship.

MOON MULLINS Another Grand Slam —By Willard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NOT NOW I'M BUSY.
SHE'S ONE OF THEM PLATINUM BLONDES AND OH BOY! WHAT EYES!
DO YOU KNOW A DAME LIKE THAT?
NO! FOR THE-★ !!!
I THINK SHE'S FROM OUTTA TOWN— AND I'LL BET SHE'S SO POPULAR WHERE SHE COMES FROM YOU CAN'T PARK A CAR WITHIN TWO BLOCKS OF HER HOUSE.
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AMERICAN LIBRARY ASSOCIATION WILL MEET IN ORLEANS

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 15.—(AP)—The American Library Association will hold its 54th annual conference April 25 to May 1 in New Orleans, Robert J. Usher, librarian of Howard Memorial library and general chairman of local committees.

More than 2,000 representatives of libraries in the United States, Canada, and Mexico are expected to attend.

The Louisiana Library Association will meet in conjunction with the national body, but will curtail its activities to a business session, the morning of April 25 for reports, and election of officers. A discussion of the Citizens Library movement which the association is endeavoring to inaugurate in Louisiana will be held, according to Mrs. Carl Sydney Bauman, cataloguer at Tulane University, and president of the Association.

"Libraries in a Changing World" will be the general theme of the conference. Cultural problems in the South, library work with children, adult education, and other topics will be discussed in the association sections.

Count Rene d'Harnancourt, illustrator of children's books, Miss Mary Mims, community organizer for Louisiana, Frank P. Graham, president of the University of North Carolina, and Edwin R. Embree, president of the Julius Rosenwald fund are listed speakers.

Josephine Adams Rathbone, assistant director of the Pratt Institute School of Library Science is president of the American Library Association.

Governor Alvin O. King Taken Into Boy Scouts

BATON ROUGE, La., Feb. 15.—(AP)—If Alvin O. King has been making a practice of doing a good deed every day, it's all right.

If he hasn't, he'll have to from now on, because he's a Boy Scout now.

He has been notified of his honorary membership in a local troop.

His conferred title of "tenderfoot" may prove a little disconcerting in the privacy of the executive mansion, however, since his 16-year-old son, Voris, is an "Eagle Scout", the highest rank obtainable.

ANNIVERSARY OBSERVED

TALLULAH, La., Feb. 15.—(Special)—The Tallulah Boy Scouts observed anniversary week here with a clean up campaign on Tuesday afternoon. Because of financial conditions, the annual parent-scout banquet, which was formerly a feature of anniversary week here, did not take place. A barbecue has been planned at the time of dedication of the scout hut on Eagle Lake.

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THE LOSERS' SERVICE BUREAU

TO FINDERS

If you have found a dog, purse, jewelry fur or any other article that is not advertised in today's News-Star or Morning World, phone 4800 Classified Dept. An accurate index is maintained of all lost and found ads appearing in the News-Star-World for the past several weeks, which may be of material assistance to locating the owner

TO LOSERS

When you advertise a lost article of any kind in the News-Star and Morning World your advertisement will receive the benefit of free listing in our Losers' Service Bureau. This service is provided without additional cost to our advertisers and facilitates the recovery of lost articles

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LOST
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No 203 Fast	6:55 pm	7:05 pm

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MAIN LINE North	Arrive	Depart
No 116 Fast	9:15 am	9:25 am
No 102 Fast	9:15 pm	9:20 pm
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No 101 Fast	8:05 am	8:15 am
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NATCHEZ—EL DORADO		
No 816-817—Local		9:25 am
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*No 854 Local		7:10 am
FARMERVILLE	Arrive	Depart
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**No 844—Local		3:50 pm
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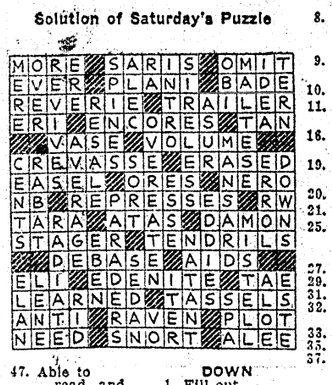

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16. Capuchin monkey
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27. Declared
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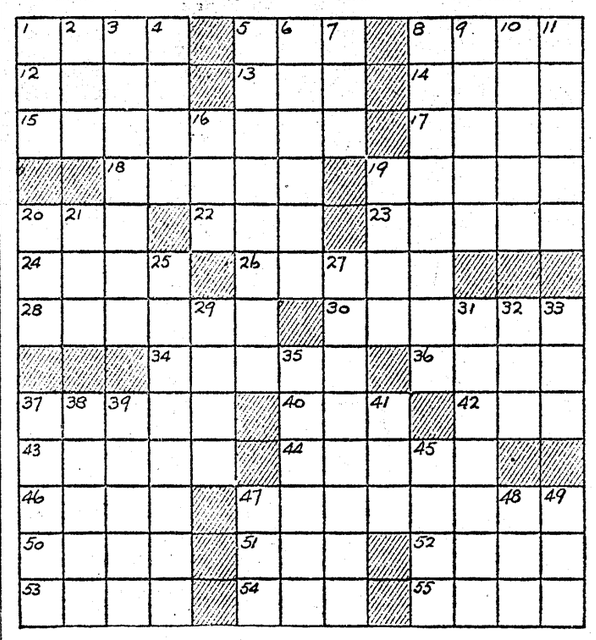

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SEVERAL NICE offices for rent, prices recently adjusted Lights, gas and janitor service furnished See Bates, Kusin Bldg Phone 461

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WANTED—A Small furnished house not more than three blocks from The Frozen Custard Place, 2316 South Grand. Mrs. F. W. Kerby. Phone 3344.

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FOR SALE

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FOR SALE: Corner lot in Cole addition, fronting Junior College. Write P. O. Box 75.

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CASH FOR AUTOMOBILES
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CASH FOR USED CARS
See C. A. McGhee at Stuckey Rubber Company. Phone 307.

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We have more repossessed automobiles than our warehouse will hold. They must be sold and, in order to sell a bunch of them quickly, we have cut prices to the bone. We are also going to make TERMS EVEN BETTER THAN WE HAVE IN THE PAST for the next few days. If you have already seen our cars and have not bought, it will pay you to come back and see how much we have cut prices. If you have not compared our prices and terms, you should not fail to do so before you buy. The cars listed below are priced so low and the terms are so easy it will pay your to come look them over if you live within 100 miles of Monroe. No matter where you live or what you do, we want you to see our cars.

(1) 1929 Ford Fordor Sedan $95
Does not look very well but has lots of service. Terms to suit purchaser.

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Looks good and runs good; fair tires. Terms to suit purchaser.

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We want to sell these bad—make us an offer.

(1) 1931 Ford Tudor Sedan $395
Looks and runs like new—a real buy. $75 down payment; monthly notes, $26.40.

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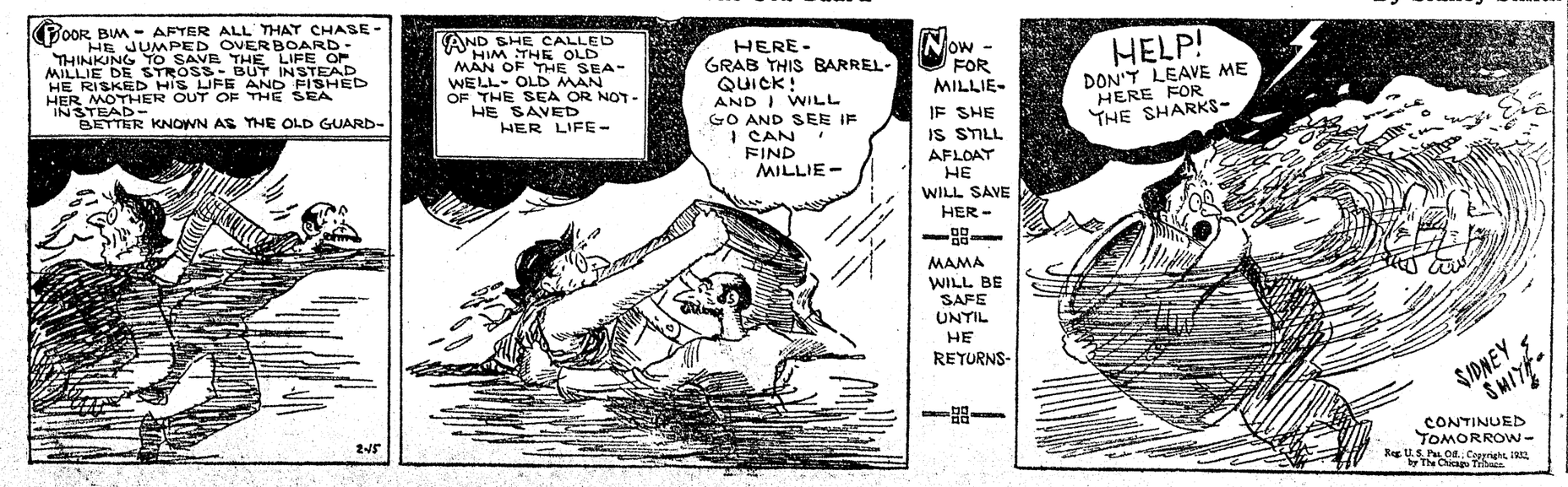
THE GUMPS — The Old Guard — By Sidney Smith


POOR BIM - AFTER ALL THAT CHASE - HE JUMPED OVERBOARD - THINKING TO SAVE THE LIFE OF MILLIE DE STROSS - BUT INSTEAD HE RISKED HIS LIFE AND FISHED HER MOTHER OUT OF THE SEA INSTEAD - BETTER KNOWN AS THE OLD GUARD -
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AND SHE CALLED HIM THE OLD MAN OF THE SEA - WELL - OLD MAN OF THE SEA OR NOT - HE SAVED HER LIFE -
HERE - GRAB THIS BARREL - QUICK! AND I WILL GO AND SEE IF I CAN FIND MILLIE -
NOW - FOR MILLIE - IF SHE IS STILL AFLOAT HE WILL SAVE HER -
MAMA WILL BE SAFE UNTIL HE RETURNS -
HELP! DON'T LEAVE ME HERE FOR THE SHARKS -
SIDNEY SMITH
CONTINUED TOMORROW -
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Markets -:- Financial

Cotton

New Orleans

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 15.—(AP)—Trading in cotton was fairly active today. Prices after starting 3 to 5 points up on better Liverpool cables than due and advancing further after the start to 6.97 for May and 7.13 for July, up 5 points on overnight buying orders, later turned easier owing to an opening drop in stocks. There was also considerable hedge selling and realizing. March dropped to 6.68, May to 6.87 and July to 7.03, down 10 to 11 points from the early highs and 5 to 7 points under Saturday's close. As stocks improved later in the morning cotton prices recovered 2 to 4 points from the lows in the early afternoon.

Exports for the day totaled 33,578 bales.

The market continued to rule quiet but steady during the afternoon prices remaining within the early range but gradually improving towards the end and closing 4 to 6 points above the lowest, the tone being steady, prices showing net 3 points down to one up.

Cotton futures closed steady at net 8 points down to one up.

	High	Low	Close
March	6.79	6.68	6.72
May	6.97	6.87	6.92
July	7.13	7.03	7.09
Oct.	7.31	7.23	7.25-26
Dec.	7.47	7.39	7.41
Jan.	....	....	7.47

New York

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—(AP)—After advancing 5 to 9 points at the opening today with May selling up to 7 cents cotton prices reacted under southern selling and realizing, promoted by the easier tone in the stock market.

The volume of business tapered off on the decline to 6.88 for May or about 3 points below Saturday's closing quotations, and the mid-afternoon market was quiet with prices fairly steady within a point or two of the previous close.

Futures closed steady, unchanged to 2 points higher. Spot steady; middling 6.85.

Cotton futures closed:

	High	Low	Close
March	6.81	6.70	6.73-74
May	7.00	6.88	6.93-94
July	7.15	7.05	7.09-10
Oct.	7.38	7.27	7.30-31
Dec.	7.55	7.44	7.47
Jan.	7.60	7.51	7.55

Cotton Letter

Fenner, Beane & Ungerleider

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—The cotton market, after opening 5 to 10 points higher, with near months leading in point of strength, sold off to slight net losses. Final prices however, were several points up from the lows and generally slightly above the previous close. There was considerable reactionary selling inspired by the poorer tone of securities and by the recessions which occurred in other commodities. The South sold hedges in moderate volume but there was no particular pressure against the market at any time during the day. The best buying came from domestic, European and Far Eastern spinners. Spot houses were on both sides of the market though they probably sold on balance. Liverpool was a seller here in the first hour but heaviest offerings, as was the case late last week, came from a house which frequently operates for the cooperatives. Liverpool was much better than due this morning under continual buying, covering and trade calling which more than offset hedging and realizing. Other outside markets were also generally higher. The most significant news of the day was the figures released by the Association of Cotton Textile Merchants. These showed that sales were 45.2 per cent and shipments 15.5 per cent in excess of production in January, that stocks decreased 12.5 per cent and that unfilled orders increased 21.5 per cent.

Worth Street reported a better inquiry for goods and the view prevailed among some selling agents that a quite active demand might develop in the more immediate future.

No announcement was made regarding plans for curtailment but optimism on this point continues.

We continue to favor the constructive side, especially on recessions.

Liverpool

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 15.—(AP)—Cotton spot in better demand, improved business; prices one point higher; quotations in pence: American strict good middling 6.28; good middling 5.88; strict middling 5.76; middling 5.73; strict low middling 5.63; low middling 5.53; strict good ordinary 5.33; good ordinary 5.03. No receipts. Futures closed quiet. Mar. 5.38; May 5.37; July 5.38; Oct. 5.43; Dec. 5.49; Jan. 5.51.

Call Money

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—(AP)—Call money steady 2 1-2 per cent all day. Time loans steady; 60 days 3 1-2 to 3 3-4; 3-6 months 3 1-2 to 3 3-4 per cent. Prime commercial paper 3 3-4 to 4.

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—(AP)—Stocks heavy; list steadies after early setback. Bonds firm; U. S. governments higher. Curb heavy; profit-taking brings small decline. Foreign exchanges firm; sterling higher. Cotton quiet; trade buying; steady cables. Sugar steady; steady spot market. Coffee steady; foreign buying.

CHICAGO.—Wheat easy; weakened technical position; smaller export trade. Corn increased visible stock; disappointing cash trade. Cattle higher. Hogs weak.

Chicago Grain

CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—(AP)—Responsive to downturns in securities, grain values underwent early setbacks today. Opening at 5-8 decline to 1-8 advance, wheat afterward weakened all around. Corn started unchanged to 3-8 off and subsequently showed a general drop.

Wheat closed unsettled, 3-4 to 1 1-8 under Saturday's finish, corn 3-8 to 1 down, oats 5-8 off to 1-8 up, and provisions unchanged to 20 cents decline.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
Mch.	.57½	.57⅝	.56⅞	.57
May	.60⅜	.61	.59⅞	.60-60½
July	.61⅝	.61⅞	.60¾	.60⅞-61
Sept.	.63¼	.63½	.62⅝	.62½
CORN—				
Mch.	.37⅞	.37⅞	.36¾	.36¾-7⅛
May	.40⅝	.40⅝	.40¼	.40¼-⅜
July	.43⅛	.43¼	.42⅜	.42⅝-¾
Sep.	.44⅛	.44¼	.43⅜	.43¾
OATS—				
Mch.	....	....	....	.43¾
May	.26	.26	.25½	.25½-⅝
July	.26	.26	.25⅜-½	.25½
Sep.	.26	.26	.25½	.25¾
RYE—				
Mch.	.43	....	....	.43
May	.47¼	.47½	.46	.46½-⅜
July	.48⅞	.48⅞	.47½	.47½
LARD—				
Mch.	5.05	5.05	5.00	5.00
May	5.15	5.17	5.05	5.05
July	5.35	5.37	5.27	5.27
BELLIES—				
May	....	....	....	5.62

Produce

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 15.—(AP)—(USDA)—Strawberries were somewhat weaker and Louisiana 24-pint crates of Klondykes sold $2.00-2.25. Florida pints of Missionary strawberries sold mostly at 10c per pint. Washington fancy delicious apples ranged $2.00-2.50 per box. Florida oranges were more plentiful and boxes sold $2.00-2.65, depending on size and quality. The season for Louisiana oranges is drawing to a close.

Potatoes were about steady with Maine or Canada Green Mountains selling within the range of $1.20-1.30 per 100 lbs. Louisiana sweet potatoes sold 85c-1.00 per cwt.

Cuban okra was higher at $2.50 per bushel while Florida snap beans held steady at $2.75. Texas spinach brought $1.00 per bushel. Iceberg lettuce ranged $2.75-3.50 per crate of 4 to 6 dozen heads. Cauliflower sold $1.80-1.85 per crate. Fancy peppers brought $3.00 and fancy eggplant sold $2.75-3.00 per crate while best squash sold at $3.25. Mexico lug boxes of tomatoes sold $2.75-3.00.

Louisiana beets ranged 20-25c per dozen bunches; carrots 25-40c; mustard and turnips 20-30c; shallots 25c and spinach 30-40c. Cabbage sold 50-75c per dozen heads.

Combined shipments from Louisiana Friday, Saturday and Sunday were 13 cars mixed vegetables, 10 cars sweet potatoes and 6 cars of strawberries.

Foreign Exchange

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—(AP)—Foreign exchange irregular. Great Britain in dollars, others in cents: Great Britain demand 3.46; cables 3.46 1-4; 60 day bills 3.41 1-2; France demand 3.94 7-16; cables 3.94 1-2; Italy demand 5.19; cables 5.19 1-2.

Demands: Belgium 13.97; Germany 13.75; Holland 40.47; Norway 18.84; Sweden 19.39; Denmark 19.04; Switzerland 19.53 1-2; Spain 7.87; Portugal 3.15; Greece 1.28 3-4; Poland 11.30; Czechoslovakia 2.96 3-4; Jugaslavia 1.78; Austria 13.99; Rumania .59 3-4; Argentine 25.73; Brazil 6.31 1-2; Tokyo 35.12 1-2; Shanghai 33.25; Montreal 87.37 1-2; Mexico City (silver peso) 39.90.

Note—Demand rates are nominal.

Cottonseed Oil

NEW ORLEANS

NEW ORLEANS, Feb 15.—(AP)—Cottonseed oil closed steady. Prime summer yellow 3.70 to 3.80; prime crude 3.00 to 3.12 1-2. Feb. 3.98; Mar. 4.02; Apr. 4.03; May 4.07; June 4.10; July 4.15; Aug. 4.18; Sept. 4.22.

NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—(AP)—Cottonseed oil closed steady. Prime summer yellow 4.00; prime crude 3.00 to 3.12 1-2.

Mar.	4.38	4.35	4.30
May	....	....	4.44
July	....	....	4.55
Aug.	....	....	4.58
Sept.	4.70	4.69	4.69

Sales: 16 contracts.

Sugar

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—(AP)—The general sugar market at 2 p. m. was about 1 to 2 points net higher.

Futures closed barely steady, unchanged to 3 points higher; approximated sales 35,100 tons. Mar. .95; May 1.00-01; July 1.07; Sept. 1.13-14; Oct. 1.17; Dec. 1.19; Jan. 1.21.

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—(AP)—The stock market wavered uncertainly somewhat above the day's lowest levels, after a substantial setback in the early trading today. The list closed with a heavy tone, with numerous net losses of 1 to 4 points. The turnover approximated 2,000,000 shares.

By Claude A. Jagger

NEW YORK, Feb. 15. —(AP)—The stock market experienced the inevitable setback today that follows the sort of breath-taking uprush of the past two sessions of trading.

The market slid back rather precipitantly in the early dealings, but soon managed to dig in its heels. A morning recovery was interrupted by adverse copper dividend news, but the list turned slowly upward again later, regaining a part of the decline. Price averages indicated that only about one-fourth of last weeks upturn had been lost. Trading dwindled to less than half Saturday's volume.

Early losses ranged from 1 to 5 points in leading issues. This was more than half regained, before a second sinking spell inervened. Leaders ranged a point or more above the morning lows by early afternoon. American Telephone dropped 5 to 127 3-4, rebounding to 131, fell back to 127 5-8, and again turned upward. U. S. Steel fluctuated similarly, getting down as much as 2 1-2 points. Auburn dropped nearly 7 points on its dividend omission. Kennecott and Anaconda lost about a point, and International Nickel nearly as much. Dupont lost 2 1-2, but recovered most of its loss on the regular dividend announcement. Extreme losses of 2 to 4 were numerous, appearing in such issues as American Can, Case, Sears, American Tobacco "B," Consolidated Gas, General Electric, Westinghouse, Allied Chemical and others.

Commission houses reported a distinct revival of public interest in the market, but noted that buyers were decidedly cautious, after the several false starts of the past two years. On the whole, however, market sentiment remained much improved. This was apparent in an abrupt upturn in the price of stock exchange seats, one selling at $161,000, a gain of $26,000 from last week.

Omission of common dividends by Kennecott Copper, and its two subsidiaries, Utah and Nevada, as well as by International Nickel, had been rather widely expected, in view of the consistently unprofitable prices at which the red metal had been selling. Dupont ordered the regular quarterly payment of $1 a share, as more generally forecast, despite the recent reduction by General Motors, in which Dupont is the leading stockholder.

Transamerica stock was virtually unaffected by the return of the Giannini interests to control of the corporation. Report that the new management would follow highly conservative polices led Wall Street observers to expect little immediate change.

(Two P. M. Quotations)

Allied Chemical & Dye	75
American Can	65⅞
American Car & Foundry	71½
American & Foreign Power	2¾
American Locomotive	8
American Smelting & Refining	14⅞
American Sugar	26½
American Telephone & Telegraph	132
American Tobacco B	78⅛
American Woolen	4⅝
Anaconda Copper	10
Armour B	⅝
Atchison	85½
Atlantic Refining	10⅛
Baltimore & Ohio	18⅛
Barnsdall	3
Beth Steel	21¼
Canadian Pacific	15
Chesapeake & Ohio	24½
Chicago Great Western	3⅝
Ch M St P & P pf	4⅝
Chicago & Northwestern	10
Ch R I & P	12¼
Chrysler	12¾
Coca Cola	112¼
Columbia Gas & Electric	14
Colum Carbon	33
Commercial Solvent	9⅝
Commonwealth Southern	2½
Continental Insurance	22⅝
Consolidated Gas	62⅞
Consolidated Text	1
Continental Can	36⅝
Continental Motor	4⅛
Continental Oil Del	43⅛
Curtis Wright	1⅝
Du Pont De Nemeours	55⅜
Electric Power & Light	13
Eng Pub Svc	24
Erie R R	8½
Fox A	33¼
Freeport Texas	17⅞
General Electric	22¼
General Gas & Electric A	2⅝
General Motor	22⅝
General Railway Signal	24¼
Gillette Safety Razor	16
Gold Dust	17⅛
Great Northern pf	20⅞
Gt. Ir Ore ctfs	10⅝
Hahn	17⅛
Houston Oil new	4
Hudson Motor	9½
Illinois Central	14⅞
Ind Comb	1½
International Harvest	23¾
International Nickel	8
International Tel & Tel	10½
Kansas City South	11½
Kennecott	10⅜
Louisville & Nashville	26
Mack Trucks	15½
Miami Copper	3½
Missouri Kansas & Texas	2¼
Missouri Pacific	9
Montgomery Ward	9
Nash Motor	17⅜
National Power & Light	14⅜
New York Central	21⅜
N Y N H & H	22⅛
Northern & Western	132
North American	35⅜
Northern Pacific	20
Otis Steel	4½
Packard Motor	4⅛
Paramount Publix	8⅜
Penney J C	29⅛
Penn R R	21⅜
Phillips Petroleum	4⅞
Pullman Co	22
Pure Oil	4¾
Radio	8½
Remmington Rand	2¾
Republic Steel	6
Reynolds Tobacco B	37
St Louis & San Francisco	5½
Sear Air	⅜
Sears Roebuck	33⅜
Sinc C Oil	5¾
Socony Vacuum	9⅞
Southern Pacific	33¾
Southern Railway	11
Standard Oil California	25⅛
do New Jersey	28½
Stone & Webber	19¼
Studebaker	11⅝
Texas Corporation	11⅞
Texas Gulf Sulphur	24⅞
T P Ld Tr	5½
Timken Rolling Bearing	20⅜
Union Carbide	32⅝
Underwood Elliott	20⅜
Union Pacific	86¾
United Aircraft	15⅛
United Carbon	11
United Corporation	9¾
Western Maryland	6⅞
Western Union	44
Western Electric	30
Willys Overland	2⅝
Woolworth	42⅞
United States Industrial Alcohol	25
United States Rubber	4¼
United States Steel	48
Vanadium	15
Wabash	3½
Yellow Tr & Ch	4

Livestock

CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—(AP)—(USDA)—Hogs 60,000, including 25,000 direct; weak to 10 lower than Friday; top 4.15; 220-250 lbs., 3.80-4.05; 260-300 lbs., 3.65-3.75; pigs 2.75-3.50; packing sows 3.25-3.40. 200-250 lbs., 3.75-4.15; 250-350 lbs., 3.55-3.85; pigs 100-130 lbs., 3.00-3.75.

Cattle 13,000; calves 2,000; fed steers and yearlings strong to 25 higher. Slaughter cattle and vealers; steers 600-900 lbs.. 7.00-9.75; 900-1100 lbs., 7.00-9.75; 1100-1300 lbs., 7.25-9.75; 1300-1500 lbs., 7.25-9.75. Vealers, milk fed, 6.50-8.00; stocker and feeder cattle, steers 500-1050 lbs., 4.50-5.50.

Sheep 10,000; strong to 25 higher, quality considered; good to choice lambs 6.00-6.25. Lambs 90 lbs. down, 6.00-6.75; ewes 90-150 lbs., medium to choice 2.00-3.75.

Butter and Eggs

CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—(AP)—Butter, 10,120, firm; creamery-specials (93 score) 22 3-4 to 23 1-4; extras (92 score) 22 1-4; extra firsts (90-91 score) 21 1-2 to 22; firsts (88-89 score) 20 1-2 to 21; seconds (86-87 score) 19 1-2 to 20; standards (90 score centralized carlots) 22 1-4. Eggs, 11,054, steady, extra firsts 14 3-4 to 15; fresh graded firsts 14 1-4; current receipts 13 3-4.

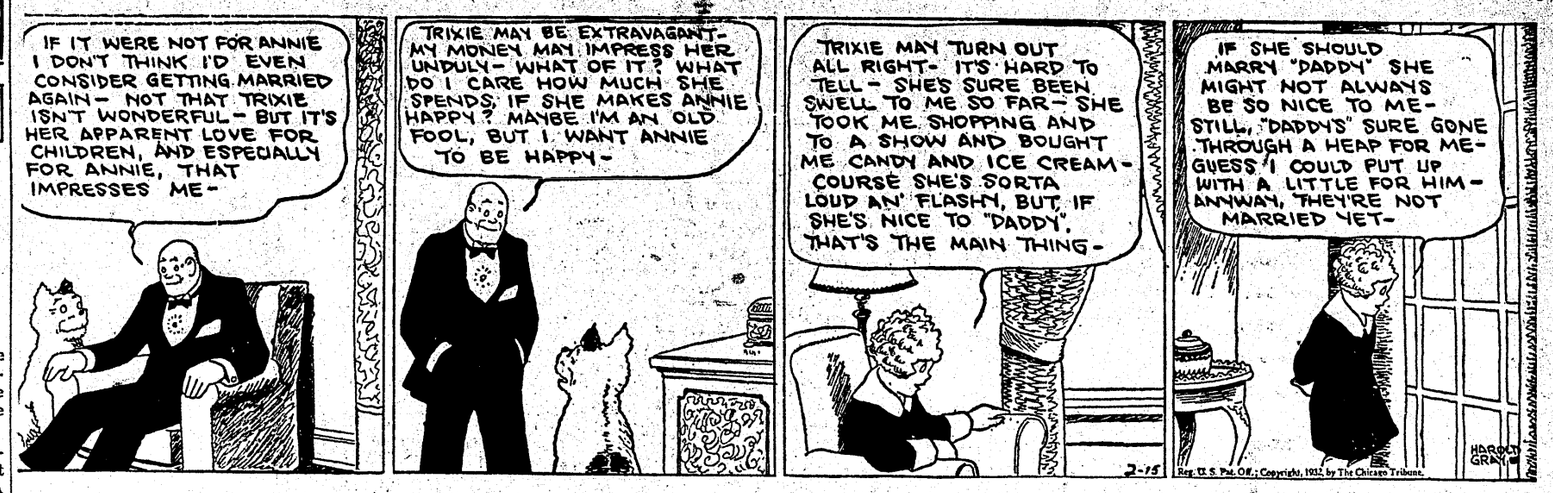
Poultry

CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—(AP)—Poultry, alive, 17 trucks, steady; fowls over 5 pounds 14, under 5 pounds 17 1-2; broilers, 2 pounds up, 20; springs 16; roosters 10; young hen turkeys 20, young toms 17, old toms 15; heavy white ducks 20, small 18, heavy colored 19, small 17; geese 13.

Potatoes

CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—(AP)—(USDA)—Potatoes 106, on track 219, total U. S. shipments Saturday 852; Sunday 15; about steady, trading rather slow; sacked per cwt. Wisconsin round whites No. 1, 80-85.

LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE — Two Viewpoints — By Harold Gray


IF IT WERE NOT FOR ANNIE I DON'T THINK I'D EVEN CONSIDER GETTING MARRIED AGAIN— NOT THAT TRIXIE ISN'T WONDERFUL— BUT IT'S HER APPARENT LOVE FOR CHILDREN, AND ESPECIALLY FOR ANNIE, THAT IMPRESSES ME—
TRIXIE MAY BE EXTRAVAGANT— MY MONEY MAY IMPRESS HER UNDULY— WHAT OF IT? WHAT DO I CARE HOW MUCH SHE SPENDS; IF SHE MAKES ANNIE HAPPY? MAYBE I'M AN OLD FOOL, BUT I WANT ANNIE TO BE HAPPY—
TRIXIE MAY TURN OUT ALL RIGHT— IT'S HARD TO TELL— SHE'S SURE BEEN SWELL TO ME SO FAR— SHE TOOK ME SHOPPING AND TO A SHOW AND BOUGHT ME CANDY AND ICE CREAM— COURSE SHE'S SORTA LOUD AN' FLASHY, BUT IF SHE'S NICE TO "DADDY". THAT'S THE MAIN THING—
IF SHE SHOULD MARRY "DADDY" SHE MIGHT NOT ALWAYS BE SO NICE TO ME— STILL, "DADDY'S" SURE GONE THROUGH A HEAP FOR ME— GUESS I COULD PUT UP WITH A LITTLE FOR HIM— ANYWAY, THEY'RE NOT MARRIED YET—
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HAROLD GRAY

DOWNPOUR FAILS TO HALT DECLINE OF RIVER LEVEL

Stands at 48.4 This Morning Or Foot and Three-Tenths From Peak

Threatening weather and a drizzling rain during the last few days has failed to halt the decline of the Ouachita River at Monroe, figures kept by Miss Kate Key, government weather recorder, show. At 7 o'clock this morning the river here stood at 48.4. This was a drop of two-tenths of a foot from yesterday morning and brought the river down a foot and three-tenths from the peak of 49.7.

It was learned that National Guards, who have been patrolling the levees for a number of weeks, today had been removed from duty on the levees. This was taken to indicate that the danger of a break anywhere along the river in the Monroe area is considered slight.

Dykes all along the river are said to be in good condition. In most places the water has declined to such an extent that the pressure against newly constructed levees has been greatly lessened or removed entirely. It was stated that in most instances the level of the river is now two feet or more below the tops of the levees.

Light rains continued to be received today in North Louisiana and South Arkansas, but precipitation was insufficient to have any decided effect upon the river. In Monroe, rainfall for the 24-hour period ending at 7 o'clock this morning amounted to .22 of an inch, Miss Key stated.

PINCKERT 'HITS THOSE LINES'

Associated Press Photo

Erny Pinckert, all-America halfback of the University of Southern California, is pictured here in his new role, that of newspaper cartoonist. He signed with a Los Angeles paper immediately after helping his team win the New Year's day classic at Pasadena from Tulane. Pinckert's first professional drawing, naturally, is of his grid coach, Howard Jones.

:.: Cinema Close-Ups :.:

AT THE CAPITOL.—All the picturesque color of the wildest frontier of the early West is said to be present in "Law and Order," the Universal drama now playing at the Capitol Theater.

Memories of the iron-nerved marshals of frontier days are revived by various exciting sequences of the picture, the scenes of which are laid in the town of Tombstone, Arizona. For it was in Tombstone that many famous gunmen "fought it out" with six-shooters in the main street.

"Law and Order" tells the story of a courageous peace officer who rode into Tombstone with three companions at the height of the lawless period of the Southwest, and endeavored to bring "law and order" to a region where a man's gun was his constant companion and best friend.

The role of this fearless U. S. marshal is played by Walter Huston, adjudged by many critics the screen's greatest actor. The other featured part is played by Harry Carey. The cast also includes such popular screen players as Russell Simpson, Raymond Hatton, Andy Devine, Russel Hopton, Nelson McDowell and D'Arcy Corrigan. The picture was directed by Edward Cahn from an adaptation of a novel by W. R. Burnett.

AT THE PARAMOUNT.—"Strictly Dishonorable," the most piquant and provocative comedy yet to reach the talking screen, is to be shown in Monroe today, Tuesday and Wednesday.

This presentation was assured yesterday, when Manager Rice of the Paramount Theater completed arrangements for playing Universal's brilliant screenplay adapted from one of the most successful plays seen in New York within the past decade. The cast of the picture is headed by Paul Lukas, whom Universal borrowed from Paramount, Sidney Fox and Lewis Stone.

The story concerns an innocent Southern girl and her pugnacious fiance, who leaves in jealous anger when she casts admiring glances at an Italian opera singer whom she meets in a speakeasy. The sudden romance that blossoms between this great lover and the deserted Southern beauty is told with daring and yet witht utmost delicacy. Laughter, tears and tingling suspense tumble over each other in delicious abandon.

PHILADELPHIA GANG LEADER SHOT DOWN BY HIS "NEIGHBORS"

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 15.—(AP)—Gangsters led Joseph "Two Gun" Murray into a trap and killed him with five bullets early today.

Murray, reputed New York dope runner, was killed at the threshold of his home in a Central City apartment house by gunmen who had posed for 38 hours as his "new neighbors."

The killers shot him in the back and fled.

W. E. Harmer, owner of the apartment building, said the slayers took an apartment adjoining Murray's on Saturday. Police found they had kept Murray under surveillance by watching at peep holes, drilled into a door. They killed him as he stepped into the dimly lit hallway, dressed to go out.

Shortly after the shooting, a pretty 28-year-old blonde, describing herself as Murray's wife, Margaret, appeared. "They got him," police said. She screamed and collapsed.

For every 1000 persons in the United States there are about 186 cows.

OBITUARY

MRS. ALLIE BRADLEY

WINNSBORO, Feb. 15.—(Special)—Funeral services for Mrs. Allie Bradley, 40, will be held at Crowville this afternoon. Father F. X. Kronemeyer will officiate and burial will be made at Crowville Cemetery.

Mrs. Bradley, a former resident of Winnsboro, died at a hospital at Little Rock, Ark., Saturday morning. She was a resident of Little Rock.

Surviving relatives are: the husband, A. A. Bradley; two children, Toll and Beatrice Bradley; the mother, Mrs. Dora Killian of Winnsboro; three brothers, Phillip Killian of Shelby, Miss., R. R. Killian of Monroe, and Oscar Killian of Winnsboro; one sister, Mrs. Nick Meyer of Winnsboro.

TRUANT FISH

BANNING, Calif.—(AP)—Tens of thousands of truant trout, slipping slyly away from their flooded hatchery into newly desert pools, are being gathered up and taken back to their "schools" by wardens who fear the piscatorial escapade might end disastrously for the fish when the pools dry up.

PUBLIC BIDDEN TO JUNIOR COLLEGE OPENING EVENT

Will Be Held Tomorrow Evening When Program Is to Be Given

A cordial invitation to attend an informal opening of the Ouachita Parish Junior College has been extended the public by C. C. Colvert, president of the college. An interesting auditorium program has been arranged for the informal opening. Following the auditorium program, the entire building will be open to inspection of the public.

Judge Percy Sandel will give an address before the auditorium assembly on the subject of "Higher Education." A one-act comedy, "Jerry," will be presented by June Hodge, J. W. Cunningham, Delbert Evans and Eleona Brinsmade, students of the college. Miss Bess Crider, head of the English department of the college, is director of the comedy. No charge will be made for admission to the play.

Mrs. Ruth G. Rasbury will give a vocal selection and Miss Olive Lusk will render a piano selection. A reading will be given by Acsah Belt.

Girls of the school will serve as ushers in directing visitors about the building after the auditorium program. Instructors will explain details of their class room to the visitors.

The college has been in operation for some months but the building has not been completed until recently, and the informal opening was held over until such time as all could be in readiness for the inspection of the public.

Five Persons Cast Absentee Votes Here

Five persons today had cast absentee votes for the Democratic runoff primary election to be held February 23. Absentee voting started Saturday morning and will end next Saturday night.

Three of those who had cast votes were residents of West Monroe and the others were residents of Monroe. Those living in West Monroe were R. R. Lane, 607 North Fifth Street; J. E. Freeman, 717 Trenton Street, and Charles H. Stokes, while those in Monroe were A. C. Worsham, 112 L Street and J. W. Huitt, 100 Georgia Street.

O. J. HORN RECOVERS

Deputy Sheriff O. J. Horn returned to his work at the courthouse today, after having been confined to his home for a week with influenza. D. L. Roper, deputy sheriff, who has been ill for several days, was still unable to return to work.

STILL SEEK FOR TRACES OF GIRL STRANGELY GONE

Traces of Lois Bamburg, 16-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Bamburg, school girl missing for the past three weeks, from her home in Ward Nine, are still being sought by her parents, but thus far in vain.

The only fairly tangible clue was that offered by a man who stated he was sure he saw the girl and a middle-aged man and that they were boarding a freight train bound for Jackson, Miss. But all trace of them was lost in that city when efforts were exerted to find the couple.

Ruby and Lucille Bamburg, daughters of B. Bamburg of 108 Ludwig Avenue, in West Monroe, happen to have the same last name but state that they are not related to the family of the missing young woman.

AL SMITH FAILS TO ENTER SOUTH DAKOTA PRIMARY

Petitions Being Rushed For Filing Stopped By Snow Drifts

BISMARCK, N. D., Feb. 15.—(AP)—Temporarily, at least, the presidential hopes North Dakota friends have for former Gov. Alfred E. Smith of New York, have been stuck in the snow.

Saturday midnight was the deadline for filing of petitions for presidential preference in the March 15 Democratic primary, but those in behalf of Mr. Smith failed to arrive in time because Vincent Ferguson and his car were halted by snow drifted roads while making the trip to Bismarck from Minot, 120 miles away.

It is still possible, however, for Mr. Smith's supporters to enter a pledged slate of candidates for delegates to the national Democratic convention. Such candidates have until March 1 to file for the primary.

The names of Governors Franklin D. Roosevelt of New York and William J. Murray of Oklahoma were filed in time for a place on the preference ballot.

Daughter Is Born to Mr. And Mrs. Marcus Kahn

Announcement is made of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Kahn, of 2908 Lee Avenue. The baby, weighing eight pounds, has been named Marcia Barbette. Both are said to be doing nicely at the Clinic.

One of the duties of Japanese beauty parlor employes is to clean the ears of their women customers.

COLDS

Some men and women fight colds all winter long. Others enjoy the protection of Bayer Aspirin. A tablet in time, and the first symptoms of a cold get no further. If a cold has caught you unaware, keep on with Bayer Aspirin until the cold is gone. Genuine Bayer Aspirin can't harm you. Bayer Aspirin does not depress the heart. If your throat is sore, dissolve three tablets in a little water and gargle. You will get instant relief. There's danger in a cold that hangs on for days. To say nothing of the pain and discomfort Bayer Aspirin might have spared you! Get the genuine, with proven directions for colds, headaches, neuralgia, neuritis, rheumatism.

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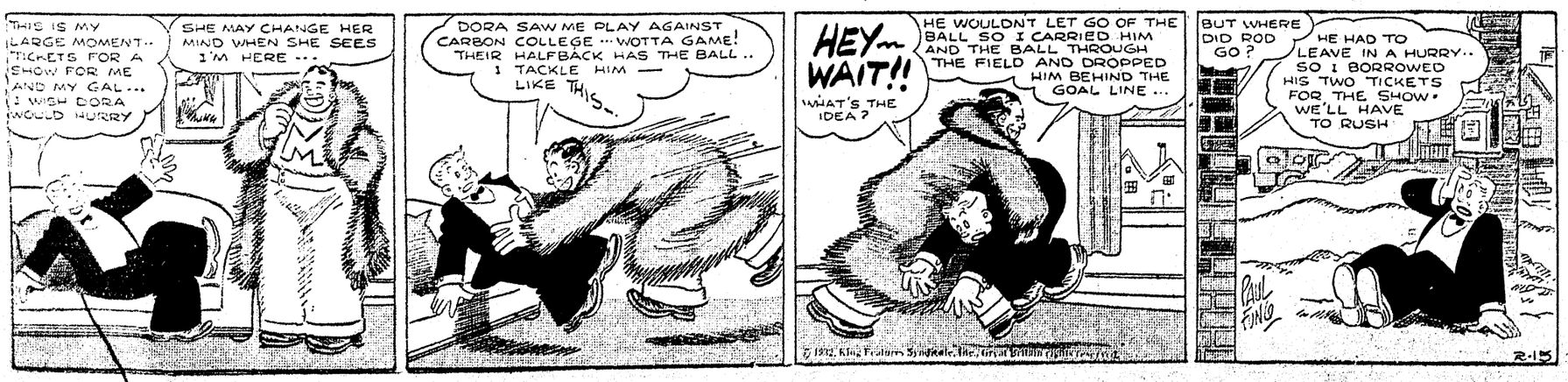
DUMB DORA — It Was a Great Game! — By Paul Fung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HEY— WAIT!! WHAT'S THE IDEA?
HE WOULDN'T LET GO OF THE BALL SO I CARRIED HIM AND THE BALL THROUGH THE FIELD AND DROPPED HIM BEHIND THE GOAL LINE...
BUT WHERE DID ROD GO?
HE HAD TO LEAVE IN A HURRY.. SO I BORROWED HIS TWO TICKETS FOR THE SHOW. WE'LL HAVE TO RUSH
PAUL FUNG
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